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Causes Conference Developments to Take Hopeful Turn—China and Japan Close to Shantung Settlement—Italy Accepts the American Viewpoint Whole Heartedly

(By The Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Conference developments took a new and hopeful turn tonight when it became known that the French ten ship building plan was submitted without the approval of the Paris government and that direct negotiations between China and Japan had brought the Shantung controversy close to a settlement. Naval sub-committee action toward a five power pact on naval limitation awaits an answer from Premier Briand on both the ten project submitted by French delegates now here and upon the joint counter proposal concurred in by both the United States, England, Japan and Italy that France accept a capital ship strength of 175,000 tons as compared to her present 164,000 tons in dreadnaughts.

A three hour session of the sub-committee today was almost entirely taken up by Albert Sarraut, head of the French delegation in presenting views of French naval experts now here as to the naval needs of France. Secretary Hughes made a brief reply tending to stimulate good feeling among the committee members.

MAKERS OF TOYS AND DOLLS ASK FOR PROTECTION

Would Exclude German and Japanese Articles

(By The Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—American manufacturers of toys and dolls asked the senate finance committee today not only for protection against German and Japanese competition but also for the exclusion of these articles which are the product of child labor. Specifically they asked for a duty of forty per cent of the value of the toys and dolls based on the prices prevailing in the American market.

Spokesmen for the manufacturers piled high the committee table with toys ranging all the way from the wooden letter blocks to the electric train to support their argument that they had revolutionized the industry by coupling the educational with the amusement feature for the children. They had been able to build up the industry here during the war, they said.

German competition is the most serious factor they asserted and imports from that country are being seriously felt. The American industry has slumped off fifty per cent it was testified, despite price reductions ranging from 25 to 40 per cent.

Imitation pearls, buttons, tooth and other brushes, novelty jewelry and several other subjects were (Continued on Page Seven.)

New Yorkers Again Receive Thrills

(By The Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—The thrills, which New York experienced in September of last year when Wall street was rocked by a bomb explosion which killed nearly two score persons, were revived tonight. Coincident with the arrest of a suspect in Warsaw and the arrival from Washington of William J. Burns, chief of the bureau of investigation of the department of justice to take personal charge of the case, there were circulating in the downtown financial district, rumors of radical plots to blow up the stock exchange. Local authorities, while admitting that special guards had been placed around the exchange and other buildings, professed to attach no great importance to reports that threatening letters had been received by a number of brokers.

London Is Confident of Result

WIFE OF KANSAS LABOR SECRETARY WILL BE ARRESTED

Warrant Was Issued Yesterday, Sheriff Gould Says

(By The Associated Press)
PITTSBURG, Kans., Dec. 17.—A warrant has been issued for the arrest of Mrs. William Howe, wife of the secretary of the Kansas Federation of Labor, Milt Gould, sheriff of Crawford county announced tonight. The warrant charges her with participating in an unlawful assembly in connection with the marching of women against the Kansas coal mines early this week. A deputy sheriff talked to her husband tonight, and according to the deputy, Howe promised to bring his wife to Pittsburgh for arraignment Monday morning.

The warrant for Mrs. Howe came at the conclusion of a day of activity on the part of state officials in proceeding against alleged leaders of the women whose demonstrations prevented men employees at a number of the mines from going to work.

Four women, alleged to have participated in the disorders and who were arrested yesterday were released on bond late today for appearance in District court January 5 to answer charges of rioting and unlawful assembly.

George F. Wark, federal prohibition director for the state of Kansas has been in the coal fields for the last twenty-four hours. He has made a number of arrests and captured a quantity of home-made wine and liquor in mining towns.

Strike leaders said the action of the women in marching was not in any way authorized by their organization. They added, however, that neither the marching nor the presence of the troops would have any appreciable effect on the resumption of coal mining.

ALLEGED SWINDLERS ARE UNDER ARREST

(By The Associated Press)
CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—Two men giving their names as Julius H. Schwartz and Max Goldstein were arrested here tonight by federal agents who charged that they had obtained goods valued at \$500,000 from unsuspecting firms throughout the country for the last year. Frank W. Hill, manager of the department of investigation of the national association of credit men was instrumental in bringing about the arrest.

According to the federal agents the men who had been convicted in New York for a similar offense would establish an office in a city, take the name of a leading merchant and place orders for goods with firms in other cities. These firms, believing the merchants had moved their quarters would ship the goods on credit and the men would dispose of it and then leave the city.

Schwartz and Goldstein, Mr. Hill said, were under bond in New York last September awaiting trial, but they disappeared and resumed operations in other parts of the United States. They were located here after a prolonged search.

DETECTIVE SHOTS NEGRO EMPLOYEE

CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—Joseph Wilson, a negro, employed at the Wilson & Co. packing plant, was shot and wounded today while in the time office of the company, by Albert Vernon, a private detective assigned to the plant.

According to Vernon's story, Wilson became abusive when told to wait for his time. It was stated by the police that the trouble had nothing to do with the strike of packing plant workers. Vernon is being held.

ALLEGED EMBEZZLER ARRESTED AT BUFFALO

BUFFALO, N. Y., Dec. 17.—Charged with embezzlement of a large sum from a Winnipeg grain company, of which he was vice president, Joseph M. Besette, was arrested here tonight. Detectives said the arrest ended a six months search. Besette, according to the police, made a statement admitting the alleged embezzlement. He is said to have told the officers that the last \$1,500 he had was lost in a grain deal here.

CONFIDENCE GAME COUNT IS QUASHED BY JUDGE EDWARDS

Court Rules it is Faulty in Small-Curtis Case—Attorney Completes Arguments Saturday—LeForge Cites Immunity Precedents—Will Give Decision Last of Week

(By The Associated Press)
WAUKEGAN, Ill., Dec. 17.—With announcement by the court that he had already decided one charge—that of operating a confidence game—would not be upheld, arguments on the motion to quash indictments against Governor Len Small and Vernon Curtis, Grant Park, Ill., banker, closed today.

Judge Claire C. Edwards, from the bench, announced he was in perfect accord with the contention of the defense that the confidence game charge was faulty, the state having failed to allege commission of a felony thru omission of the word "feloniously."

There remain eighteen counts against Mr. Curtis and twenty four against Governor Small charging them with embezzlement of state funds and conspiracy. In the indictments remaining to be passed on there are twelve counts of conspiracy against each defendant, twelve of embezzlement against the governor and six of embezzlement against Mr. Curtis. Six counts charge Mr. Small personally with embezzling \$500,000 while state treasurer and six counts charge the governor and Mr. Curtis, together with Lieutenant Governor Fred E. Sterling, with embezzling \$700,000.

The conspiracy indictment names all three in an alleged conspiracy, involving \$2,000,000 of state funds.

Counsel for both sides will submit their final briefs to Judge Edwards Monday and he anticipates having his decision ready by Friday or Saturday.

In his closing argument, C. C. LeForge, chief counsel for the defense, reiterated the defense's charge that the grand jury which returned the indictments, was illegally selected; that it violated the law in returning a special report purporting to set forth the evidence on which it had acted and that the indictments themselves, were in many respects faulty.

He was followed by Werner Schroeder, of the governor's staff who contradicted the statements of the state that the legislative act of 1908 which provided for the handling of interest on funds in the keeping of the state treasurer, was actually passed. Mr. Schroeder attacked the constitutionality of the law on the grounds of a defect in its passage.

Mr. LeForge denied the statement of C. Fred Mortimer, state's attorney of Sangamon county, that the governor's own counsel, by claiming immunity for their client under the ancient monarchical maxim that the "king can do no wrong" were responsible for the prejudice to the case.

Referring to the fact that the lawyers made the plea for immunity connected with the governor's case, Mr. LeForge continued:

"I am no champion for the doctrine mentioned by the gentlemen; I do not invoke it here, nor never have. But I want to say that if these notable and fine representatives of the legal profession stepped into court with a claim of that kind, it was necessary because of the conduct of those gentlemen (the state) in procuring this indictment.

PROTEST IS MADE AGAINST BOND ISSUE

(By The Associated Press)
LINCOLN, Neb., Dec. 17.—The Nebraska Railway Commission sent a protest this evening to the interstate commerce commission against the proposed issue of \$73,000,000 of bonds by the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad company to reimburse the company treasury for money spent in improvements from the year 1916 to 1921 and an issue of \$20,000,000 for additions and betterments to be made in 1922. The Nebraska commission says the company earned \$73,399,989 net over and above interest charges and dividends at eight per cent in the past five years. The state commission as portents says the railroad company has earned in excess of its immediate demands and there is no good reason for covering this into the treasury, especially when it is not in financial straits, unless it expects to pay it out in dividends.

CONFERENCE IS MOST FATEFUL ONE PRESS SAYS

Lloyd George and Briand to Discuss Reparations

(By The Associated Press)
LONDON, Dec. 17.—Monday's conference in Downing street between Premier Lloyd George and the French premier, M. Briand, relative to reparations, is described by the newspapers here as the most fateful since the Versailles treaty was concluded.

The meeting was arranged before Germany's official declaration of her inability to pay the forthcoming reparations installments and there is a disposition in some sections of the press to regard the German move as a maneuver to bring pressure to bear on the premier's meeting.

The general opinion however is that the British government has honestly tried to meet its obligations and that it will be necessary to grant Germany a delay of a few months if not actual moratorium.

The report is persistent that Mr. Lloyd George intends to press for an international conference to include both Germany and Russia and if possible the United States in order to get a rearrangement on broad lines of the whole European financial relations in the belief it would be the best means of restoring trade and relieving unemployment. He also is represented as ready to grant France considerable concessions in the shape of priority in reparations if thereby he can induce her to meet his views.

WILL INVESTIGATE CAUSE OF EXPLOSION

(By The Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—A naval board of inquiry into the collision of the destroyer Graham and the passenger liner Panama off Seagirt, N. J., last night probably will be named next week it was announced today at the offices of Admiral Hilary Jones, commander of the Atlantic fleet.

Of the seven naval sailors injured when the Graham's plates were crushed in by the liners' bows one of them, W. P. Kelly, 20 years old, seaman, first class is not expected to live it was said at the naval hospital in Brooklyn.

Responsibility for the collision was charged to the commander of the destroyer by Edwin E. Drake, vice-president of the Pan-American Steamship company, operators of the Panama who said that the Graham sought to cross the bow of the liner. Captain William F. Amesen, the Graham's commander and other naval officers reserved their explanation of the crash pending appearance before the board of inquiry.

THE WEATHER

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Weather predictions for the week beginning Monday include:

Region of Great Lakes: Considerable cloudiness and occasional snows; much colder.

Upper Mississippi and Lower Missouri Valleys: Generally fair and much colder, some probability of snows after Wednesday.

Chicago and Vicinity: Generally fair and moderately cold Sunday; Monday increasing cloudiness with rising temperatures.

Illinois: Generally fair Sunday; Monday increasing cloudiness with rising temperature.

Missouri: Fair Sunday; Monday increasing cloudiness, rising temperature in north Sunday.

Iowa: Increasing cloudiness and warmer Sunday; Monday unsettled, probably rain or snow in west portion.

Temperatures

The current, maximum and minimum temperatures as recorded Saturday were:		
Jacksonville, Ill.	24	53
Boston	54	51
Buffalo	54	56
New York	54	54
Jacksonville, Fla.	68	74
New Orleans	56	70
Chicago	25	42
Detroit	50	52
Omaha	32	36
Minneapolis	8	8
San Francisco	52	64

BELIEVE ANGLO-IRISH TREATY WILL FINALLY BE ACCEPTED BY DAIL

Unexplained Prolongation of Secret Debates at Dublin are Causing Some Anxiety—May be Ratified by Irish People by Referendum—Irish Themselves are Irritated

(By The Associated Press)
LONDON, Dec. 17.—There was no diminution of confidence in London today that the Anglo-Irish treaty ultimately will be accepted by the Dail Eireann or by the Irish people if a referendum should become necessary. But the unexplained prolongation of the secret debates in Dublin has begun to cause some anxiety here.

Uneasiness was increased by rumors of important modifications of the treaty to be suggested from Dublin possibly entailing entirely new negotiations. Should this unexpected course be adopted nobody here seems to know how the government would meet it. During the course of the debate on the treaty in the house of commons, Prime Minister Lloyd George took the stand that an attempt by parliament to modify the treaty would destroy it and necessitate a new conference.

Possibly modifications by the Dail would have the same effect. There was much political gossip in the lobbies of parliament yesterday after the votes were taken concerning the government's reason for not proceeding with the treaty. The Dail's decision, it was said, might settle nothing and if a plebiscite in Ireland was decided upon parliament might be held in session until after New Years.

Lord Birkenhead who has charge of the government side in Irish affairs now that the premier will be engaged with M. Briand and the matter of German reparations has openly referred to the possibility of an appeal being made to the country on the Irish settlement.

It is beginning to be believed the Dail would ratify the treaty if at all only by a narrow majority, gossip puts the number of those known to be pledged to ratification at 61. Should the decision be for important modifications of the treaty there is a growing belief that Mr. Lloyd George will resort to a general election early in the year.

Irishmen themselves, according to Dublin reports are irritated at the delay and want the matter settled. The Prime Minister and Lord Birkenhead have both gone to the country for the week-end. They will return to London Monday. There has been no meeting between Sir James Craig the Ulster premier and Mr. Lloyd George and no development on the Ulster side of the problem.

WHISKEY IS THROWN OVERBOARD

New York, Dec. 17.—Some where between Rockaway and Long Beach 40 cases of whiskey were floating on the waves tonight or resting on the sands. Hundreds of thirsty folk, many with torchlights, gathered on the shore watching and thinking up such lines as when "my nip comes in."

Argentine Will Have Large Wheat Yield

(By The Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—An Argentine wheat crop of larger yield per acre than last year, is indicated in unofficial estimates received today by the department of agriculture.

The official estimates for the current season in Argentina for the area of wheat, the department said, "are 13,927,000 acres, or 92.8 per cent of 1920-1921. The area of oats for 1921-1922 is 2,165,000 acres, or 102.2 per cent of 1920-1921. No official estimate for the 1921-1922 production is as yet available, but an unofficial estimate gives the probable yield of wheat as 13.3 bushels per acre, compared with 12.4 bushels in 1920-1921, and that of oats, 32.1 bushels per acre, compared with 23.1 in 1920-1921.

"The prospects for the current Argentine wheat crop," the department said, "are very good, and almost equal to that of last year. The preliminary official estimate for the crop is 146,514,000 bushels or 99.9 per cent of last year. The area sown to wheat in new soil and for the current year was reported to be greatly increased over last year and official estimates place the probable production as high as 10,000,000 bushels compared with 6,874,000 bushels in 1920-1921. The winter wheat crop has entered the winter in good condition in Canada and some increase in acreage is reported," the department said. "The total area estimated as sown to fall wheat is 792,200 acres.

"The condition of winter wheat in the United States continues good throughout the north-central states, but continues to deteriorate in southern Nebraska and Kansas, due to the drought."

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After all the talk about times being somewhat difficult and business conditions adverse, figures from savings banks in five of the Mississippi valley states show increases in deposits by comparison with a year ago. This goes further to prove that there is plenty of money and that what business really needs is confidence.

Kansas farmers, statistics say, are holding back 27,000,000 bushels of wheat. These figures sound formidable but when you find that the total is by many millions of bushels less than last year, you begin to understand that there isn't a Kansas surplus to go on the market and reduce flour prices.

Coroner Hoffman of Cook county has issued a warning against children driving automobiles and cites instances where boys and girls 12 years of age have been found at the steering wheel of heavy cars. A warning from a coroner has an ominous sound and should be effective.

As Christmas time approaches it is just as well to remember that the only really lonesome person is the one who takes no thought for

others. Perhaps the condition in your own home will not be just as you would have them. You can no doubt think of homes where a greater plenty prevails—of homes where you are sure that greater joyousness will reign. But after all, the real basis of the Christmas spirit is the giving spirit and if you are thinking of others and preparing to make the Christmas season happy for them, the success of your own Christmas is already assured.

The order of Chief Fitzmorris of Chicago putting an absolute ban on booze selling has not been effective long, but there are indications that the chief means business and that policemen who do not try to enforce the prohibition law will lose their positions.

The explanation of the chief's new attitude is not at hand, but action is quite in contrast with his statement of a few months ago that prohibition enforcement was a matter for the federal government. The prohibition laws can be enforced even in Chicago if the authorities really desire to bring this about.

THE ANTITHESIS OF ISOLATION

Every once in a while one hears of a citizen who is worried about the loss of business that will come to Jacksonville as the hard road system develops. The timid see people resident in the country driving away from Jacksonville to the larger cities.

There may be some cause for this feeling with reference to people who live more than ten or twelve miles east of Jacksonville, but in other directions the hard road development will open up territory which can readily become tributary to Jacksonville. Certainly as one looks at the question in a broad way, the increase in business will far exceed the losses.

Then there will come the advantage of river freight, and it is not too much to expect that freight transported by truck from

river points can be brought in at lower cost than by rail, based upon present tariff charges. It must be remembered that a city's growth cannot come about thru isolation. There is no reason why Jacksonville cannot compete with larger cities, and business men must be willing to concede that a city will grow if it deserves to. You can't build a wall around a city and have growth. Making it accessible is the other alternative and one that will mean growth and progress and greater general activity.

APPLES FOR CHRISTMAS
Fresh car of fancy Jonathans, Grimes Golden, also Winesaps, York Imperial, Russets, Baldwins, Rome Beauties, Tallman Sweets. Order early.
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ROAD CONDITIONS FAR FROM BAD

W. E. Sullivan, president of the Morgan County Good Roads association, said last night that he believed that the rain of Friday and Saturday had not put the roads in very bad condition. In fact, Mr. Sullivan was able to testify on the contrary, as he drove to Roodhouse last Friday afternoon and returned at midnight. The road-way has been oiled a part of the distance but all the way was entirely passable.

H. J. Rogers is another citizen who knows something of the road conditions. His daughter, Miss Edith, drove from Waverly to Jacksonville Saturday afternoon and found road conditions could be properly classified as fair. In another day or two unless there is more rain, the roads will really be in excellent condition.

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MATRIMONIAL

Steelman-Riesenfelt.
Oran H. Steelman and Miss Dollie A. Riesenfelt, both of Roodhouse, were married at the court house by Squire W. T. Dyer. The groom is a farmer and he and his wife will live in the vicinity of Roodhouse.

G. E. Houston and L. V. Baldwin were the witnesses to the ceremony.

Ing-Johnson.
The marriage of Willie Ing of Thompsonville, and Miss Julia Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Johnson of Jacksonville, was performed by Rev. M. L. Pontius at 10 o'clock Saturday morning at the Christian church parsonage. The sister of the bride, Miss Ruth Johnson and the groom's sister, Miss Cecile Ing, accompanied the young couple. Mrs. Ing has been employed in Kresge store for the last several months and during the year she has lived in this city has made many friends. They will live for a while at the home of her parents in this city.

ATTEND THIS CLOSING OUT SALE
7 head of horses, 16 cattle, sheep, farming implements, beginning at 11 a. m. Wednesday, Dec. 21, farm 1/4 mile north of Woodson.
W. E. McCURLEY

FORMER RESIDENT DIES IN WESTERN HOME

Mrs. Robert Shoemaker's Young Life Came to the End in Denver Saturday Afternoon.

A telegram received by Dr. A. L. Adams Saturday brought news of the death of his daughter, Mrs. Robert Shoemaker, in Denver, Colo. Friends of Mrs. Shoemaker had known of her illness, but had not realized the acute condition, and the death message brought sorrow to many.

Mrs. Shoemaker as Helen Adams had spent the greater part of her life here in Jacksonville, where she was born 22 years ago. Her marriage to Robert Shoemaker was solemnized in June, 1920, and their home has been in Colorado.

Mrs. Shoemaker had not been strong for several years and it was during this period of illness that friends came to a full appreciation of the gentleness of her life and the patience of her spirit. She was ever courageous and thought of each tomorrow as brighter and more promising.

Mrs. Adams has been with her daughter for nearly a week past and with Mr. Shoemaker, who is an instructor in the North Denver high school, will accompany the remains to Jacksonville. Arrangements for the funeral cannot be announced at this time but the service will probably be held on Wednesday.

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ESCAPED PRISONERS MAY BE ON HOUSEBOAT
Darrell Riggs and Harold Spencer, who escaped from Cass county jail, December 4th, may be hiding in a houseboat along the Illinois river. Sheriff George W. Farrar of Virginia thinks. Some of the river people never see a newspaper and might have been easily persuaded into giving them shelter.

Sheriff Farrar received a letter from W. H. Decker, sheriff of DeKalb county which said that the third man in the jail break, Edward Ericson, who was shot by the Virginia sheriff, was in the county jail there last January. Harry Jenkins of Peoria was with him. Jenkins was notified of the death of Ericson. It is believed that he knows where Ericson's money is deposited.

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CHANGE OF FIRM.
Having sold my grocery business to Harry Furry & Sons, possession has been given and the business will be continued under the new ownership. I take this opportunity to thank customers who have been served at this store thru the years, and assure them that the patronage has been appreciated. I hope for a continuance of this patronage for the new firm.
MATTHEW MILLER.

We have purchased from Matthew Miller the grocery store at No. 11 West Side the square. It will be our endeavor to accord the public efficient and courteous service and we respectfully ask for a share of your patronage.
HARRY FURRY & SONS.

"LET'S GO" to FRANK BYRNS Hat Store. A fur collar for his overcoat is what he wants.

Henry Naylor, of Arenzville, was a visitor to Jacksonville Saturday.

Paul Scott was in from Prentice on a business trip Saturday.

CHECKS ISSUED TO CORN SHOW WINNERS

E. R. Hembrough, Secretary of Morgan County Farmers' Institute, Pays Winners at Junior Corn Show

E. R. Hembrough, secretary of the Morgan county farmers' institute, issued checks Saturday to pay the premiums won by the boys and girls at the Junior Corn show.

These checks will be mailed to the winners and will doubtless be prized by them, as this exhibit was, for the most part, the first participated in by the schools and students of the county. Much interest has been shown by the exhibitors.

A seed-testing demonstration was held at the Cherry annex, Saturday, in connection with the corn show.

E. M. Harrison, a representative from the division of agriculture office at Springfield, was in charge of the demonstration, assisted by County Farm Advisor Kendall.

Seeds passed on by the department of agriculture, are eligible to sale as commercial seed in any section of the county.

In addition to the corn testing from samples on exhibition from the Junior Corn show exhibits, a number of clover seed samples were analyzed.

Buy him a box of "S. & G." 8c cigars, 25 or 50; a cool, mild smoke. At all dealers. Made by Anton Graef Cigar Factory, 59 1/2 East Side Square.

R. W. Emerson, of Sinclair, expects to spend the holidays with relatives in Lee county, Ia.

A CHRISTMAS SUGGESTION

If you want to send your friend a Christmas present that will be appreciated all the year thru, give a subscription to the Jacksonville Daily Journal. For non-resident friends the Journal by mail is like a letter from the old home town.

Miss Mabel Henderson, of Litchberry, was shopping in Jacksonville yesterday.

COMMUNITY FORUM
Congregational Church
Mr. Henry R. Rathbone will discuss "The Washington Conference Agreements" at the Community Forum at the Congregational church tonight.

A timely address by an orator who knows his subject.

REMAINS WILL ARRIVE MONDAY

John S. Hackett received a message yesterday from his brother, George Hackett who went to Denver, Colo., upon receiving news of the death of W. A. Patterson, husband of his sister that the funeral party would arrive here Monday evening. The body will be taken to the Gillham Funeral Home and private funeral services probably will be held there at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning. Interment will be in Diamond Grove cemetery.

APPLES FOR CHRISTMAS

Fresh car of fancy Jonathans, Grimes Golden, also Winesaps, York Imperial, Russets, Baldwins, Rome Beauties, Tallman Sweets. Order early.
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P. A. Sturgis, of Franklin, made a trip to Jacksonville yesterday.

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JUNIOR PROM TO BE GIVEN SOON

Annual Illinois College Ball Is Set for Wednesday Evening in the College Gym.

The Junior Promenade, which marks the highest point in Illinois College social life, will be at 8:30 o'clock Wednesday evening, Dec. 21, in the College gymnasium. President and Mrs. C. H. Rammelkamp, Dr. and Mrs. F. S. Hayden, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Ames, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bussey, Miss Adelle McQuistan and William T. Harmon will be special guests. About two hundred guests are expected, including many of the

alumnae from here and from out of the city.

The committee has planned an elaborate affair with a six piece orchestra playing until 2 o'clock. Forest decorations, leather favor programs and several feature dances. Besides these Miss LeVon Schunk and Miss Betty Palmer of Illinois College will dance a specialty number.

Supper will be served by Peacock Inn at 12 o'clock. The chairman of the committee is Russell Pinkerton and Miss Kathleen Emery, Miss Alma Shuman, Eugene Mellon and Roger Carter are serving with him.

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Countess Natalya and her youngest sister, Russian noblewomen, but refugees since the revolution, with other women of their class and predicament, drifted to Shanghai, where Natalya makes a bare living for herself and her sick sister by singing nightly in the Cafe of the Almond Blossom. In her anxiety to escape from this life which she loathes, Natalya falls into the net of Sotan, a Chinese villain, who pretends friendship for her and arranges the details of an official betrothal between Natalya and a wealthy Chinaman, Wu Ting, who greatly desires the beautiful Russian. As soon as the betrothal settlement is in her hands, Natalya and her sister escape to America, where Natalya marries Roger Strong, a young diplomat. Later Sotan follows her to America and blackmails her, telling her that the betrothal ceremony really constitutes a legal marriage and that she is Wu Ting's wife. Events march swiftly and in melodramatic fashion to the end of this fascinating love story of two hemispheres.

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WEDNESDAY

A Whirlwind Story of Desert Love

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And Star Cast, in

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The story of a love that drove a man in desperate adventure half 'round the world. There are more thrills in this pictured story than in anything shown in months.

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ANDREW NOX, in

"THE THINKER"

A story inspired by Rodin's famous statue. It portrays the experiences of a man possessed of the power to read the human soul—gripping, dramatic, startling—A picture to make you think.

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"THE WHITE HORSEMAN"

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Also a Western, "Old Dynamite," and a Comedy, "A Nervy Dentist," featuring Teddy, the Dane.

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SATURDAY

All Star Day

WILLIAM (BILL) FAIRBANKS

and all-star cast, in

"GO GET HIM"

A thrilling story of the adventures of the Northwest Mounted Police. Of course, there is a beautiful girl and a beautiful story of love, duty and sacrifice interwoven.

Also a Comedy, "Lost and Won"

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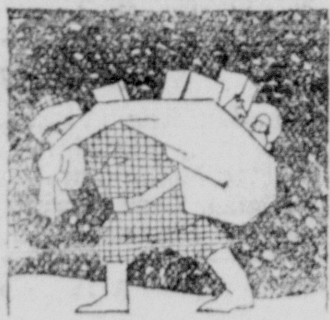
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CITY AND COUNTY

Miss Edith Day, of Alton, is a guest at the home of Miss Lillian Swift, of West North street, over this week-end.

ALCOHOL 75c GALLON
Don't chance a "busted" radiator. **LUKEMAN MOTOR CO.**

D. C. Diltz, the Jacksonville agent for the Chicago & Alton, has returned from a several days' business stay in Rock Island, Ill. Miss Lucy E. Sturtevant, of Kushla, Ala., who has been visiting in this city and in Chicago for about six weeks, will return Monday to her home in the south.

PHONOGRAPHS

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Clyde A. Henley, who is attending college at Ames, Ia., is expected home the latter part of the week to spend the Christmas holidays at the home of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Henley, who live on the corner of South East street and College avenue.

ALCOHOL 75c GALLON
Deppe, Houston and McNamara
Opposite City Hall

James Rawlings, of east of the city, came to Jacksonville Saturday on a business mission.

Ben Davenport was in from Alexander yesterday.

COME IN

and let us help you select that Xmas present. We have a large line to select from.

PEOPLES Furniture Co.
Dorey Martin, of north of the city, was a visitor to Jacksonville, Saturday, in company with his son, James Martin.

Ladies', Men's and Children's handkerchiefs at
TOM DUFFNER'S

Doctor Obermeyer, from Arcadia, was in Jacksonville Saturday.

CHRISTMAS SPECIALS

Fancy Country Dressed Ducks, Geese and Chickens

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Please let us have your orders the early part of the week, and avoid the big rush on Saturday, the day before Xmas, as we will be flooded with delivery orders.

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dia, was in Jacksonville Saturday. Len Crouse, of Murrayville, paid Jacksonville a visit Saturday.

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Robert Megginson came in from Woodson Saturday on business matters.

EVERYTHING
for the home, at the
PEOPLES Furniture Co.
Clifford James, from north of the city, was in Jacksonville yesterday on a business trip.

William Sargent was in the city from Markham Saturday.

Sweaters for ladies, gents and children. TOM DUFFNER'S.

Joseph Smith, from north of the city, was a business caller Saturday.

BUY YOUR TOYS
from
PEOPLES Furniture Co.

H. C. Massey, of south of the city, was seen on Jacksonville's streets, Saturday.

ALCOHOL 75c GALLON
Don't chance a "busted" radiator. **LUKEMAN MOTOR CO.**

William Russell, of Woodson, made a business visit to the city Saturday.

Mufflers—TOM DUFFNER'S.

W. T. Scott, from the vicinity of Arnold, was a Jacksonville visitor Saturday.

A CEDAR CHEST
will be just the present for her. A large assortment on hand.

PEOPLES Furniture Co.
L. C. Dyer, of east of this city, was transacting business with local merchants Saturday.

Big sale of Velocipedes, \$2.50—\$2.75; fine for boys. BRADY BROS.

Mr. and Mrs. John Tipton, of Springfield, were over Saturday to visit friends.

ALCOHOL 75c GALLON
Deppe, Houston and McNamara
Opposite City Hall

W. E. Lowry was in from Arnold Saturday.

A fine electric sad iron, fully guaranteed, \$4.75. BRADY BROS.

William Lindsay from Orleans was a business visitor to Jacksonville yesterday.

Fur Sale Monday and Tuesday at HERMAN'S.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lewis, of south of the city, paid a visit Saturday to Jacksonville.

188 proof alcohol, 75c a gallon, put in your car. BABB & GIBBS.

Frank Green was in Jacksonville Saturday, from Strawn's Crossing.

ALCOHOL 75c GALLON
Don't chance a "busted" radiator. **LUKEMAN MOTOR CO.**

Z. L. Rexroat, of Virginia, was transacting business in Jacksonville Saturday.

Special prices this week on Quick Meal Gas Ranges; better buy now for Christmas. BRADY BROS.

Fred Duckwall of Lynnville vicinity, was a Jacksonville visitor yesterday.

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Miss Maud Anderson was a Franklin visitor to Jacksonville Saturday.

Miss Edlene Austin was among Franklin visitors to Jacksonville Saturday.

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Miss Blanch Harvey, of Franklin, was shopping in Jacksonville Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lukeman came in from Franklin Saturday on a shopping mission.

DON'T FORGET DOUBLE STAMPS RABJOHNS & REID

Miss Francis Sissons, of White Hall, visited friends in Jacksonville Saturday while on her way to Modesto for a visit.

She saw a Fur Scarf at FRANK BYRNS Hat Store that would please her.

I. U. Markham, of Chapin, was a business visitor to Jacksonville Saturday.

R. W. Emmerson was a visitor from Prentice Saturday.

Cars washed as they should be. Prices reasonable. BABB & GIBBS.

John Radu came in from Alexander Saturday on a business mission.

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Mrs. G. T. Litter, of Litterberry, was a visitor to Jacksonville Saturday.

If its new we have it. TOM DUFFNER.

Louis Moeller, of the north part of the county, traveled to Jacksonville yesterday.

HENRY R. RATHBONE
on
"The Washington Conference Agreements" at the Community Forum at night. Mr. Henry R. Rathbone will discuss "The Washington Conference Agreements."

DAIL EIREANN IS STILL IN SECRET SESSION ON TREATY

Members Endeavoring to Thresh Out Personal Matters

(By The Associated Press)
DUBLIN, Dec. 17.—The Dail Eireann remained in secret session until late tonight in an endeavor to thresh out personal positions among its members with the prospect that they might come into public session Monday, reconciled at least to the extent of presenting a solid front to the world in their attitude toward the Anglo-Irish treaty.

There appeared to be no question tonight but that the treaty would be ratified but in view of the fact that so many members of the Irish legislative body wish to proclaim their respective positions, it was considered hardly likely that a final vote could be taken before next Wednesday. If reports reaching Dublin tonight from other parts of Ireland may be accepted as correct, the general public apparently is becoming irritated at the delay in settling the big question that is on everybody's mind.

These reports indicate that the general Irish public would like to see the Dail quickly ratify the treaty and let the rest of the opposing factions settle their own political fights afterwards.

HIGH LIVING AND LOW WAGES CAUSE OF CRIME

This Is Given as Reason of Prevalence of Present Day Crime in England.

LONDON—(By A. P.)—Lower wages and a craze for luxurious living are held accountable by English prison governors for many present-day crimes in a report made by them to the Home Office.

Also crime has dwindled considerably during the past 20 years, the number of prisoners for the year 1920-21 was 49,712, or 9,925 more than in the previous year. The report, however, states that "so small an increase in a year in which there has been much unemployment and industrial unrest is noteworthy."

The governor of Durham prison says: "A new stamp of offenders has sprung into existence. Men and women of respectable antecedents and parentage, in regular employment and in no respects associated with the criminal class are taking to serious crime with astounding facility."

The suggestion that a spirit of lawlessness acquired by men while on military service is responsible for this is rejected by the governor, on the ground that women in equal proportion to men are the offenders. His explanation is that high wages, once easily earned and more easily spent, are now not obtainable.

"Men and women, boys and girls," his report states, "have all got used to 'big money, out of all proportion to the slight effort necessary to obtain it,' and he continues: "The economic readjustment of the past year has created a number of discontented, reckless people, who do not realize that they have been living in an artificial wage market, and unconsciously resent the changed conditions of supply and demand work or play. Money they must have to provide the luxuries and amusements to which they have grown accustomed, so they steal, pilfer and loaf."

The governor of Shrewsbury prison calls attention to the prevalence of thefts on railways and elsewhere, often by men with excellent long service records, and receiving high wages.

A big increase in automobile thefts is mentioned by the governor of Wandsworth prison. It is proposed shortly to introduce recreation classes in male convict prisons and make it possible for convicts to earn by good conduct and industry, the privilege of classes for reading, recitations, lectures and music.

Frank Bergschneider, of Litterberry, was among the business visitors in the city yesterday.

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BLIZZARD HITS STATE OF WISCONSIN

Milwaukee, Wis., Dec. 17.—A severe blizzard the worst of the winter hit Milwaukee and the Southern half of Wisconsin this noon and resulted in the removal of many lines of travel and communication.

The storm according to reports filtering in from the affected area failed to penetrate farther north than Eau Claire except along the lake coast.

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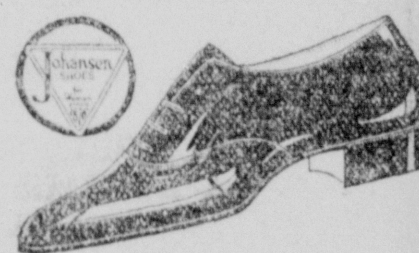
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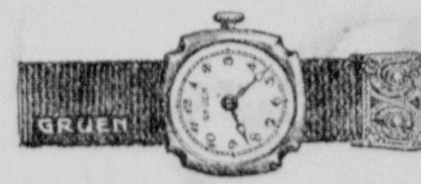
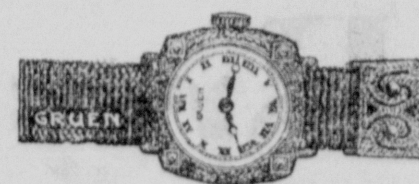
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GRUEN WATCHES

NON-PARTISAN LEAGUE EDITOR RESIGNS
Fargo, N. D., Dec. 17.—R. M. McClintock, editor of the Fargo

Courier-News, the North Dakota official publication of the National Non-Partisan League, has resigned, it was announced by the newspaper tonight.

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IS AUTHORIZED TO SPEND \$20,000,000 FOR RUSSIAN RELIEF
U. S. Grain Corporation Funds Are to be Used
(By The Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—A bill authorizing the president to expend \$20,000,000 out of the funds of the United States grain corporation for relief of the distressed and starving people of Russia was passed tonight by the house 114 to 51.
Opponents of the measure fought it to the last and forced a roll call on the ground that the vote as announced did not include a quorum of the house. The roll call resulted 181 to 71 and the bill now goes to the senate.
In wrangling over the measure the house attempted to chop it to pieces with amendments. The first actual test was on an

amendment by Representative Bankhead, Democrat, Alabama, to reduce the amount from \$20,000,000 to \$10,000,000 which was defeated 78 to 60.
There had been two solid hours of debate during which a flood of eloquence was let loose and many amendments were offered.
All that was tacked on to the original bill, however, was a direction that grain for the Russians be purchased in the United States and sent to Russia in American bottoms and a direction that a report of all expenditures be made to congress by the end of next year. The house refused to include Armenia in the area to which relief would be sent. It also refused to designate the area as the Volga region or Russia as she stood geographically prior to the war.
The bill, as passed by the house, specifically authorizes the president "thru such agency or agencies as he may designate, to purchase in the United States and transport in American ships and distribute corn, seed grain and preserved milk for the relief of the distressed and starving people of Russia and for spring planting in areas where seed grains have been exhausted."
It was explained that four and a half or five million bushels of grain would have to be purchased under the appropriation.

AIR SERVICE IS PLANNED BETWEEN GERMANY AND U. S.
Made Known That German Engineers Visited United States
(By The Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—An announcement that the government had obtained permission to construct a rigid airship in Germany was followed by the disclosure here today that two German aircraft engineers visited this country several months ago to study possibilities of a fast Zeppelin service between Germany, New York and Chicago.
The engineers were said to represent the Zeppelin Airship Building company of Friedrichshafen, and gave their names as Harry Vissering and E. A. Lehman. They were in frequent conference with weather bureau officials here and in other cities.
While their movements at that time were shrouded in secrecy it is learned that they discussed plans for a passenger and mail carrying fleet of Zeppelins to ply between Germany and America. For several weeks the air route between here and Chicago was the scene of repeated tests with kite balloons which carried into the upper atmosphere delicate recording instruments. Weather bureau records for forty years were examined and charts showing average direction and velocity of winds were studied.
From one of the New York men with whom they talked it is learned that the German engineers concluded positively that a fast Zeppelin service between Germany and this country was feasible. They pointed out that many of their machines during the war had made far longer and more hazardous trips.
Before they sailed for home it was understood they had visited Washington and there consulted with government officials concerning the proposed service.

BATTALION WAS NOT LOST PERSHING SAYS
(By The Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—The battalion commanded in the Meuse-Argonne battle by Colonel Charles W. Whittlesey, who recently was drowned at sea, was cut off from communication, but not "lost," as generally stated, General Pershing said in a letter to Representative Siegel of New York. Replying

to a letter from Mr. Siegel for his views on the incident, General Pershing wrote:
"In brief, Colonel Whittlesey's command was not lost. After it had been isolated frequent attempts were made to furnish food and ammunition by means of airplanes. Unfortunately it was very difficult for the aviators to locate in the dense forest the position of the battalion which had been accurately indicated on the map. These relief supplies fell into the hands of the enemy. I mention that as showing that the battalion was not lost."
"Communication thru the heavy underbrush in the forest was difficult and before connection had been obtained with the units to the right and left rear the Germans filtered thru the gaps which then existed and eventually succeeded in surrounding the battalion."
Miss Ellnor Crouse, of Murrayville, was a holiday shopper with Jacksonville merchants Saturday.

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SIXTEEN DOLLARS ALL THAT IS LEFT OUT OF \$28,000,000
Co-Operative Society of America is About Broke
(By The Associated Press)
CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—Sixteen dollars is all that remains of more than \$28,000,000 subscribed to the Co-operative Society of America by ninety thousand persons, according to a preliminary report filed today by the Central Trust company of Illinois appointed receiver for the concern.
The report made after two months spent in investigation of the concern also says that the society is indebted to the Great Western Securities Corporation in the sum of \$11,337,965.95 on its promissory notes.
After reciting other alleged irregularities the receiver asked for more time to study the affairs of various concerns connected with the society before submitting a solution of the tangled finances. The report accuses Harrison W. Parker head of the Co-operative society of giving false testimony under oath and their testimony alleged instances in substantiation.
Parker's wife, Mrs. Edith Stubbs Parker and Charles C. Higgins, a relative are the chief beneficiaries of Parker's deals by reason of their ownership of the Western Securities Corporation fiscal agent for the society the report asserts.
Neither Mrs. Parker nor Higgins paid anything for their stock, the report says.
Reciting transactions with a number of concerns, the report charges that Parker in each instance represented both parties in the transaction. Securities of one trust fund were transferred to other trust funds and made collateral for other loans it is charged.

KANSAS MAYOR FILES RESIGNATION
PITTSBURG, Kans., Dec. 17.—Wayne Neet, mayor of Frontenac, a small mining town north of Pittsburg, filed his resignation as mayor, with the Frontenac city clerk late this afternoon after such action had been demanded of him by Attorney General Richard J. Hopkins.
Neet, who was elected mayor last spring on the citizens' ticket, was charged by the attorney general with neglect of official duty for failure to enforce the prohibition law.
Tony Bergschneider, of New Berlin, had occasion to visit the city yesterday.



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SOUTHERN NORMAL STARTS JANUARY 6
CARONDALE, Ill.—(By A. P.)—When the Southern Illinois State Normal University basketball team plays its first game of the season against Eastern Illinois Normal five here Jan. 6, it enters upon what is perhaps its strongest schedule. This is announced by Coach William McAndrew as follows:
Jan. 6.—Eastern Illinois Normal at Carbondale.
Jan. 15.—Cape Girardeau at Cape Girardeau.
Jan. 18.—Arkansas Aggies at Carbondale.
Jan. 20.—McKendree College at Carbondale.
Jan. 25.—Sparks College at Shelbyville.
Jan. 26.—Charleston Normal at Charleston.
Feb. 2.—Sparks College at Carbondale.
Feb. 3.—Shurtleff College at Carbondale.
Feb. 10.—Cape Girardeau Normal at Cape Girardeau.
Feb. 17.—McKendree College at Lebanon.
February 24 and March 3 are open dates.

WISCONSIN BALL TEAM TAKE TRIP
MADISON, Wis.—(By A. P.)—The University of Wisconsin baseball team will enter the south this year for the first spring training trip ever taken by the Badger varsity nine. The trip will be taken during the vacation period of April. While no definite arrangements have been completed, the Wisconsin coach hopes to have the Badgers meet Alabama university, Mississippi University, and the Mississippi Agricultural College in two contests apiece. If unable to schedule with these schools he plans to arrange to play the University of Tennessee. Six games will be played on the trip.
The squad loses six regular men from the last year team, but strong material is available to fill in the holes. The graduation of Williams, star pitcher, who everyone of his games last season is the hardest blow, while some difficulty will be had in locating a catcher to step into Davey's shoes.
Training will commence in the cage shortly after Christmas, when a call will be sent for the players. The spring trip is expected to be a special inducement for material, and a large squad is expected to turn out.

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Bath Robes
Umbrellas
Handkerchiefs
Silk Hosiery
Wool Hosiery

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POULTRY AWARDS ANNOUNCED SATURDAY

Judge Heinlich Completes Work of Judging—Complete List Is Given Hereunder.

The poultry show continued to be the scene of activity yesterday. Many sales were made and much interest was shown.

Out of town exhibitors heartily congratulated the association for the fine display and phenomenal attendance.

Following are the awards complete:

Regular Cash Prizes.

Second pen of Barred Rocks—Mrs. Ed Stevenson.

Second pen of White Plymouth Rocks—Roach and Sorrells.

Second prize pen of S. C. Rhode Island Reds—Louis Biggs.

Second pen of White Wyandottes—H. M. Hopkins.

Second pen of Partridge Wyandottes—Mrs. Elizabeth Meek.

Second pen of Brown Leghorns—Mose Greenleaf.

Second pen of White Leghorns—H. M. Hopkins.

Second pen of Anconas—Roach and Sorrells.

Best display of bantams—Kenneth Moore.

Best display of Pigeons—Kenneth Moore.

10 highest scoring Plymouth Rocks—Christen Bros.

10 highest scoring Wyandottes—Jean Curtis.

10 highest scoring Rhode Island Reds—Frank L. Ledford.

10 highest scoring Asiatics—J. Warren Sharp.

Second highest scoring Barred Rock Male—Howard Hodgson.

Second highest scoring Barred Rock Female—Fred Adams.

Second highest scoring White Rock Male—Fred Adams.

Second highest scoring White Rock Female—Roach and Sorrells.

Second highest scoring S. C. Red Male—Jean Curtis.

Second highest scoring S. C. Red Female—Henry Ettelbrick.

Second highest scoring R. C. Red Male—Mrs. Yuba Funk.

Second highest scoring R. C. Red Female—Mrs. Yuba Funk.

Second highest scoring Buff Orpington Male—J. H. Ranson.

Second Second highest Buff Orpington Male—J. H. Ranson.

Second highest scoring White Orpington Male—Theodore Tappenbeck.

Second highest scoring White Orpington Female—Theo. Tappenbeck.

Second highest scoring Brown Leghorn Male—Carl G. Collins.

Second highest scoring Brown Leghorn Female—Roy Turner.

Second highest scoring White Leghorn Male—Will J. Moore.

Second highest scoring white Leghorn Female—Will J. Moore.

Second highest scoring male or female any other variety having five entries in class.

\$2.50 for Exhibit Coming Greatest distance—Payne, Hartsburg, Ill.

Lady Exhibitor (first exhibit)—showing highest scoring pen—Mrs. Elizabeth Meek.

Exhibitor showing most male birds—H. M. Hopkins, ten.

Exhibitor showing most females—Roach and Sorrells.

In addition to the regular awards the following are also given:

Special Cash Prizes.

Best display of all varieties—Roach and Sorrells.

Highest scoring pen in show—Christen Bros.

Highest Scoring Pen of Plymouth Rocks—Christen Bros.

Highest Scoring pen of Rhode Island Reds—Frank L. Ledford.

Highest scoring pen of Orpingtons—Theo. Tappenbeck.

Highest scoring pen of Leghorns—Will J. Moore.

Highest scoring pen of Anconas—C. P. Henderson.

Highest scoring pen of Wyandottes—Frank L. Ledford.

Highest scoring pen of solid colored birds—Christen Bros.

Highest scoring pen of Parti-Colored Birds—Frank L. Ledford.

Exhibitor having largest entry—Roach and Sorrells.

Highest Scoring Male Bird in Show—Floyd Allen.

Highest scoring female bird in show—Jean Curtis.

Highest scoring pen in Asiatic class—J. Warren Sharp.

Best Shape Male in Show—Justin Biggs.

Best Shape Female in Show—Christen Bros.

Best colored male in show—J. Warren Sharp.

Best Colored Female in show—J. Warren Sharp.

American Classic.

Single Comb Rhode Island Reds—Mrs. Sam Davis, first cock; E. L. Snyder, second cock, 1st hen, third pen; Hendy Edelbrock, third cock, second hen, second pullet; F. L. Ledford, fourth cock, third and fourth hen, third cockerel, first pullet, young pen; L. B. Wilson, first cockerel; Jean Curtis, second cockerel; Louis Biggs, fourth cockerel, third pullet, second pen; Mrs. H. C. Mason, fourth pullet; Mrs. George Frost, first young pen, first cockerel, first pullet; Mrs. Yuba Funk, second cockerel, second, third and fourth pullet, first young pen.

White Rocks—Christen Bros., 1st, second and fourth cock, second, third and fourth pen, first, third and fourth cockerel, first and fourth pullet, first and second pen, first old pen; Roach and Sorrells, third cock, first and fourth hen, second cockerel, second and third pullet, second and fourth young pen, second old pen.

Buff Rocks—Mrs. John Clark, first cockerel, first, second, third and fourth pullet, first young pen; Ray Abernathy, second cockerel.

Barred Rock—Howard Hodgson, first, second and third cockerel; Mrs. Ed Stevenson, second and fourth cock, fourth pullet, second and third hen, second young pen, second old pen; Applebee Farm, third cock, fourth hen; Fred Adams, fourth cockerel, first, second and third pullet, first young pen.

White Wyandottes—Jean Curtis, first cock, second, third and fourth hen, second cockerel, first, third and fourth pullet, first and third young pen, first old pen; H. M. Hopkins, first, third and fourth cockerel, second pullet, second young pen.

Partridge Wyandottes—F. L. Ledford, first, second and fourth cock, first, second, third and fourth hen, first and second cockerel, first old pen; Mrs. Elizabeth Meek, third cockerel, second old pen.

Silver Laced Wyandottes—William A. Hundley, first cockerel, second pullet; Mrs. Fred Bosse, first pullet; Addie Todd, third pullet.

Mediterranean Class.

White Leghorns—Will J. Moore, first cock, first hen, first cockerel, first, second and third pullet, first young pen; H. M. Hopkins, second cock, first, third and fourth hen, second and third cockerel, first old pen; Thomas Stubblefield, fourth cockerel, second young pen.

Light Brown Leghorns—Carl G. Collins, first cock, fourth pullet; Moses Greenleaf, second cock, first, third and fourth hen, first old pen; Mrs. George Thies, second and third pullets.

Dark Brown Leghorns—Roy Turner, first cock, first pen, first cockerel, first, second and fourth pullet, first young pen.

Silver Campines—Roy Coultas, all awards.

Anconas—C. P. Henderson, first

cockerel, first and fourth pullet, first young pen; Roach and Sorrells, second cockerel, second and third pullet, second young pen.

Silver Spangled Hamburg—Charles Gruber, second cock, first and second pullet; Justus Leib, first and second cockerel, third and fourth pullet.

Blue Andalusians—Walter E. Spoons, all awards.

English Class.

White Orpingtons—C. O. Tappenbeck, first, cock, first, second, third and fourth hen, second cockerel, first, second and third pullet, first young pen, first old pen; Mrs. George Thies, first and third cockerel, fourth pullet.

Buff Orpingtons—J. H. Ranson, first cock, first cockerel, first and second pullet; Howard Hodgson, second cock, first cockerel; R. E. Stocker, second cockerel, third and fourth pullet, first young pen.

Blue Orpingtons—Walter E. Spoons, all awards.

Black Orpingtons—Charles Kennedy, all awards.

Dark Cornish—Floyd Allen, first, second, third and fourth hen, third and fourth hen, third pullet, first cockerel; Justin Biggs, second cockerel, first and second pullet.

Asiatic Class.

Black Langshans—J. Warren Sharp, all awards, a wonderful showing.

Light—Brahmas—Rev. C. A. Middleton, all awards.

Silkie—Wadsworth, Applebee farm, all awards.

Buff Cochins—Addie Todd, all awards.

White Cochins—Kenneth Moore, all awards.

Black Tail Japanese Bantams—Frank Roland, all awards.

In the laying contest in the Mediterranean class, H. M. Hopkins, Will J. Moore, and Roach and Sorrells tied, and the final award in this class was given to Roach and Sorrells.

MANCHESTER PLANS CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

Methodist, Christian and Baptist Churches Will Unite in Christmas Program—Other Manchester News.

Manchester, Dec. 17.—The three churches, the Methodist, Baptist and Christian, will unite in a Christmas program to be presented Christmas eve at the Baptist church. The cantata, "Santa Claus," will be presented and the indications are that a very creditable entertainment will be given.

The Willing Workers of the Methodist Sunday school had a social Thursday evening in the church. There were fourteen present and the evening was spent with games and music. Refreshments of apples and candy were served. Miss Louise Pearce is the teacher of this wide-awake organization.

Mrs. R. C. Curtis is quite ill at her home here.

Floyd Lashmet arrived Saturday evening from Ann Arbor, Mich., to spend the holiday vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Lashmet.

Miss Susie Windsor was a Jacksonville shopper Saturday.

Fulton Cuddy was a Carrollton visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. Lillian Long, who has been on the sick list for several days, is now improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Brown of Jacksonville visited friends here Thursday.

Frank Windsor and family have moved from the Charles Robinson farm to the property of Harry Wells in the north part of town.

Mrs. Mary Cummings returned Tuesday evening from a several days visit with friends in Virginia.

Mrs. Charles Dean and son, Mason, were Jacksonville visitors Saturday.

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GIVES UP JOB TO SELL NEWSPAPERS

Cleveland, O.—Mrs. Minnie Josephine Ralph has forsaken her job as a saleslady in a department store to sell newspapers.

Each day, bundled in furs and well groomed from the top of her turban to her neatly shod feet, she may be found on a downtown street corner asking pedestrians to "Buy a paper, if you please."

Mrs. Ralph is a widow of a former banker of England. He was transferred to a Canadian bank and later the couple came to America. He died six years ago.

"Really, I can see no difference between selling newspapers from the sidewalk," Mrs. Ralph explained. "It is all a matter of salesmanship."

"When I found the work in the department store growing slack, I felt there must be some other way to earn more money than I was getting there."

"When I walked the streets and heard the newsboys yelling, it gave me an idea. They appeared to be the most independent persons about, so I decided I would try that work too."

BUST OF CARDINAL MERCIER UNVEILED

New York, Dec. 17.—A bust of Cardinal Mercier, the gift of a group of Belgians and Americans, was unveiled in the Gould memorial library of New York University today.

James Martin, of northwest of the city, had occasion to come to the city yesterday.

Harry Craig was among the Woodson arrivals in the city yesterday.

WITH THE SICK

Mrs. S. O. Shuff, of 750 West North street, who has been quite ill for the past two weeks is slowly improving.

Miss Isabel Woodman, 1047 Ill.

West State street, who underwent an operation for appendicitis recently, is rapidly recovering and is now able to be about the house.

Mrs. L. B. Mack of South Diamond street is reported seriously ill.

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NEWS OF THE SPORT WORLD

PROPOSALS ARE PREPARED FOR DRAFT REVISION

Will be Presented Minors Not Now Recognizing Draft

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—Following a conference between the advisory council of the major leagues and representatives of the minors here today proposals were prepared for a revision of the draft rules. Judge K. M. Landis, baseball commissioner, was instructed to present the proposals to the present time do not recognize the draft. The conference was attended by Judge Landis, President Fowler of the National League, President Johnson of the American League and President Sexton and Secretary Farrell of the National Association of Professional Baseball leagues. At the closing of the meeting the following official statement was made:

"The question has arisen what to do about the draft. It is a principle of baseball that the player must advance in his profession according to his skill. To secure to him and to the game this result, the draft rule was devised. Since the baseball reorganization of one year ago, certain leagues have declined to submit to the draft. These leagues are the American Association, Pacific Coast, Western and Three I.

Recognizing the operation of the draft as a fundamental and believing a deviation from it anywhere, or to any extent to be a menace to the right of the player and the welfare of the game, the National and American leagues mentioned above submit the following as a fair basis for the settlement of this great question:

"1: One player of each AA or A club shall be eligible to selection or draft after the close of its season each year, the selecting club to pay in cash upon exercising the right, the sum of \$5,000 to the AA club or \$4,000 to the A club.

"2: In the event any selected player is released by a major league club within one year of his selection, the club of the AA and A leagues shall first have the right to secure his services upon paying to the releasing club one-half of the draft price paid by that club.

"The commissioner has a very deep conviction that this is in harmony with the principle now subscribed to by the major and all minor leagues, and always to be borne in mind that the players' rights and welfare of the game require that his services shall be available to clubs of the very highest classification."

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BILL JACKSON TO MANAGE PEORIA

PEORIA, Ill., Dec. 17.—William R. (Bill) Jackson, signed a contract today to manage the Peoria club of the Three I league next season. It will be Jackson's fifth year as a Peoria manager. His team won pennants in 1916 and 1917, finished fifth in 1920 and fourth in 1921.

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FRANKLIN IS VICTOR OVER WAVERLY TEAM

Score of 22 to 5 Was Result of Basketball Game at Waverly Saturday Night

Waverly, Dec. 17.—The Waverly and Franklin high school basketball teams played a game here tonight, which resulted in a victory for Franklin, the score being 22 to 5.

Brown, of Illinois college, at Jacksonville, was the referee. The line-up and score follow:

Waverly	FG	FT	Tot.
Harris, f.....	0	1	1
Loving, f.....	0	0	0
Mills, f.....	1	0	2
Harrison, c.....	1	0	2
Hughes, g.....	0	0	0
Hood, g.....	0	0	0
Turner, g.....	0	0	0
D. Hughes, c.....	0	0	0
Totals.....	2	1	5

Franklin	FG	FT	Tot.
Reid, f.....	2	0	4
Seymour, f.....	5	0	10
Wiley, c.....	3	0	6
Bland, g.....	0	0	0
Brink, g.....	1	0	2
Totals.....	11	0	22

BRADLEY HAS ONLY TWO VETERANS LEFT

Basketball Squad of Last Season Is Shot to Pieces—Expect Gross Football Star, to Make Good in Basketball Game

PEORIA, Ill., Dec. 18.—With only two of last year's team back in school, basketball prospects for Bradley Polytechnic institute are not promising. R. S. MacMahon, Waverly, forward, last year's captain and G. Sherrier, another forward, of Peoria, are the only old men on hand.

However, Coach Robertson has H. Tucker, of Peoria, star forward and B. Ortmann, Onarga, sub guard of last year's squad and has also a number of his gridiron stars who promise to cut just as pretty figures on the boards as in the field.

J. Cross of Hays, Kan., Bradley's star halfback, Coach Robertson believes will be equally effective at basketball. He played with his division team in the army of occupation in Germany. John Manley, of Minonk, is the candidate for center. He has the reputation of having been outjumped by only one man in four years of high school playing.

G. Swanson, of Gibson City, and Cullen MacLennan, of Toluca, are two other men who have fine high school records behind them. Cy Ettinger from St. Paul, quarter on the football team, will be out for a guard position and E. Ziminski and A. Barrett of St. Cloud, Minn., will try for forward and H. Zierston, also of St. Cloud, will try for guard.

The schedule so far completed is as follows: At home—Dec. 17—Macomb Normal. Jan. 7—Parsons college (Ia.). Jan. 2—Illinois Normal. Feb. 4—Augustana. Feb. 21—Eureka. Feb. 25—Lombard. Games scheduled abroad—Jan. 13—Eureka. Jan. 20—Lombard. Jan. 21—Augustana. Feb. 23—Illinois Normal. Tentative arrangements for games with Illinois college, St. Viator and Wesleyand have also been made. The athletic board of the institute has authorized a schedule of eighteen games.

Last year the team won but seven out of sixteen games. This will be Coach Robertson's second year as coach at Bradley. While an undergraduate he was a four-letter man at Carleton college and later played at the University of Montana. Since then he has coached at Georgetown college, Ky., and Hays State Normal, Kan. He also attended the University of Illinois coaching study.

"LET'S GO" TO FRANK BYRNS Hat Store and secure some of the desirable ties for the men.

MARION BOOKS 10 BASKET GAMES

MARION, Ill., Dec. 17.—Nearly twenty games have been scheduled by the basketball team of Marion township high school, Illinois state champion.

Its schedule is this: Dec. 17—Mount Vernon at Marion. Dec. 23—Sparta at Sparta. Jan. 6—Centralla at Centralla. Jan. 7—Johnston City at Johnston City.

Jan. 13—Benton at Marion. Jan. 20—Mount Vernon at Mount Vernon. Jan. 21—Anna at Anna. Jan. 25—Herrin at Herrin. Murphysboro at Murphysboro. Feb. 3—Benton at Benton. Feb. 4—Johnston City at Marion.

Feb. 10—West Frankfort at Marion. Feb. 11—Pickneyville at Pickneyville.

Feb. 18—Centralla at Marion. Feb. 22—Herrin at Marion. Feb. 24—Sparta at Marion.

March 3 — Murphysboro at Marion.

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ILLINOIS COLLEGE TO PLAY ST. LOUIS U.

Blue and White Will Meet Strong Opposition Tuesday Evening—Hiatt Will Play at Forward for Illinois

Illinois college will offer basketball fans a stellar attraction next Tuesday evening when the Blue and White will clash with St. Louis university.

Coach Harmon had written Rolla School of Mines for a game on Wednesday, as that team was playing Millikin. However, school closes Wednesday and the annual junior prom is set for that night. When Harmon found that St. Louis university was making a trip thru this section and wanted a game for Tuesday night, he immediately closed the contract. Illinois has played St. Louis in the past, but the schools have not met for several years. The last game played here was a close one, with the visitors nosing Illinois out by a few points.

As St. Louis is not in the conference, Hiatt of Wheaton will play a forward position with Antrobus. Hiatt is not eligible to take part in conference games until the second semester but can play against non-conference teams until that time.

Rex Gary is coach at Wheaton where Hiatt played last year.

KNOX COLLEGE HAS HEAVY SCHEDULE

Team Plays Many Western Games—Besides Making Trip East—Has Number of Last Year's Squad Back

GALESBURG, Ill., Dec. 18.—Every member of last year's basketball squad which won thirteen out of eighteen games for Knox college, is back at school this year giving Coach Sam Barry hopes for a "stronger basketball team than ever before."

With Captain G. L. Crabbe, of New London, Ia., who has played three years at guard, Coach Barry has the following old men: C. M. Campbell, Canton, center, one year; R. F. Albro, Galesburg, forward, two years; C. H. Ludwick, Moline, guard, one year; M. A. Negley, Canton, forward, one year; W. S. Shafer, Galesburg, guard, one year; K. Craig, forward, one year; Harry Timmerwike, Quincy, forward, two years.

Among the new men in school this year, Coach Barry has found some good basketball material. This includes Clarendon Van Norman, star center from Manual Training high school at Peoria; Chan West, Galesburg, Dwight Murphy, Canton; Jarry Griggs, Brimfield, all centers; Mark Kessenich, Madison, Wis., guard; Walker Gorham, Morgan Park, forward; Marry Smith, Galesburg, forward; and Clarence Gimble, Peoria, forward.

Coach Barry has arranged the following schedule, six games being in the east:

Dec. 17—Illinois at Urbana.
Dec. 19—Chicago at Chicago.
Dec. 20—Wisconsin at Madison (practice).
Dec. 21—Wisconsin at Madison.
Dec. 21—Iowa at Knox.
Jan. 7—Coe at Knox.
Jan. 11—Lombard at Knox.
Jan. 13—Millikin at Decatur.
Jan. 14—Wabash at Crawfordsville.

Jan. 16-18—Eastern trip.
Jan. 16—Williams at Williams-town, Mass.
Jan. 17—Dartmouth at Hanover, N. H.
Jan. 18—Wesleyan at Middletown, Conn.
Jan. 21—Brown at Providence, Rhode Island.
Jan. 24—Yale at New Haven, Conn.
Jan. 25—The Army at West Point, N. Y.
Jan. 28—Beloit at Beloit, Wis.
Jan. 30—Carleton at Northfield, Minn.
Jan. 31—Hamilton, at St. Paul, Minn.

Feb. 4—Wabash at Knox.
Feb. 7—Lombard at Knox.
Feb. 11—Knox at Coe.
Feb. 15—Monmouth at Monmouth.
March 2—Monmouth at Knox.

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WORKING HARD ON MICHIGAN TOSSERS

ANN ARBOR, Mich.—(By A. P.)—Coach Mather has cut the basketball squad of the University of Michigan to 25 and is working hard with these men in an endeavor to fill the gaps left by Danne, Karpus, Williams and Le-Galley of last year's title winners. There are a number of good men on the squad at present. Among those still under the eye of the coach are several football men including Cappon, Roby, Kipke, Uteritz and Swan. The only man who is sure of his position is Captain Rea, who is considered one of the best guards in the conference.

Buy your boy a coaster wagon or velocipede and keep him out of doors; help him to grow big and strong. BRADY BROS.

MEREDOSIA WON FROM MT. STERLING

Merodosia, Dec. 17.—The local high school team journeyed to Mt. Sterling Friday evening and won from the Mt. Sterling quintet by a score of 15 to 3.

The Mt. Sterling team was a fast bunch, but the Merodosia community high school team held them to one field goal and one free throw.

Coach Test said every one of his men started. Beauchamp and Walsh did the caging; Skinner and Unland made it hopeless for the Mt. Sterling forwards, while Hyde, Merodosia's forward, kept the Mt. Sterling guards busy with his fast work.

The score:

Mt. Sterling	FG	FT	Tot.
Gordley, f.....	1	0	2
Myers, f.....	0	1	1
Buss, c.....	0	0	0
Gaddis, g.....	0	0	0
Armstrong, g.....	0	0	0
Totals.....	1	1	3

Merodosia	FG	FT	Tot.
Walsh, f.....	4	0	8
Hyde, f.....	0	0	0
Beauchamp, c.....	3	1	7
Skinner, g.....	0	0	0
Unland, g.....	0	0	0
Totals.....	7	1	15

Referee—Myers, of Mt. Sterling.

"LET'S GO" TO FRANK BYRNS Hat Store Monday for a Braxton Belt; it will please him.

BASKETBALL AT OHIO STATE IS NOT BRIGHT

Only Three of Last Year's Team Back—Stiff Schedule Is Booked

COLUMBUS, O.—(By A. P.)—Prospects for a championship basketball team at Ohio State University this season are not bright, according to Coach George M. Trautman, who is beginning his second year as basketball mentor of the Buckeyes.

With a stiff schedule ahead, only three of last year's varsity basketball team, which did not make much of a showing, will be available this year. They are A. Greenspun, guard, of Cleveland; "Red" Blair, forward, of Mt. Vernon and L. Dudley, forward, of Columbus. Blair, well known as a football player, will be the main-spring of the team.

T. Young, of Toledo who played center on the varsity football squad this season, is showing promising work at guard, and H. Baird, another promising player, is out for forward.

Following is the schedule: Dec. 21—Wittenberg at Columbus. Dec. 27—Yale at Columbus. Dec. 30—Dartmouth at Columbus. Jan. 7—Chicago at Chicago. Jan. 9—Michigan at Ann Arbor. Jan. 14—Illinois at Columbus. Jan. 20—Indiana at Columbus. Feb. 7—Denison at Columbus. Feb. 11—Michigan at Columbus. Feb. 18—Iowa at Iowa City. Feb. 20—Illinois at Urbana. Feb. 22—Chicago at Columbus. Feb. 25—Northwestern at Evanston. Feb. 27—Indiana at Blomington. March 4—Northwestern at Columbus. March 6—Iowa at Columbus.

Hot Point, Universal, and Dover electric irons, BRADY BROS. Prices right, too.

ILLINOIS A. C. STARS BEING INVESTIGATED

CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—Charges of professionalism against Jole Ray, fleet runner of the Illinois A. C. Loren Murchison, also of the Tri-color club and Joe and Frank Loomis of the Chicago A. A., are being investigated by the registration committee of the Central A. A. U. here today.

Other athletes who have made trips into the East will also be investigated, and in addition the committee will set dates and award indoor and outdoor championship. Ray has announced his retirement from the cinder paths. When the National A. A. U. convention was held in Chicago, it was rumored the national association would prefer charges against these athletes if the Central body did not take some action. Rather than have the registration committee of the national body do the investigating, today's meeting was called.

In recent years, Ray, Murchison, Joe and Frank Loomis have been taking trips to long distance points to perform and it is said turned in exorbitant expense accounts. Promoters of eastern meets have called the accounts to the attention of the National A. A. U., officials with the result all athletes concerned may be suspended today on grounds of professionalism. Ray, however, has announced his retirement before any action could be taken. Frank Loomis has turned professional and is now coaching at Hastings college, while Joe Loomis will not compete any more. Murchison may fight the charges.

Cars washed as they should be. Prices reasonable. BABB & GIBBS.

D. O. K. K. TEAM WINS IN BASKETBALL AT BLUFFS

Score of 32 to 17 Was Result of Game Local Team Played With Bluffs Independents Saturday Night

The D. O. K. K. basketball team played the Bluffs Independents in the opera house building there Saturday evening. The game was witnessed by a good sized crowd, considering the weather, and resulted in a victory for the visiting team, the score being 31 to 17. Rolf of Bluffs was the referee; Heitbrink, also of Bluffs, was the time keeper and C. P. Siegfried of Jacksonville the score keeper.

The line up and score of the two teams follows:

D. O. K. K.	FG	F.T.	Tot.
Covey, c.....	1	0	2
Wood, rf.....	4	4	12
Lucas, lf.....	8	0	16
Reynolds, lg.....	0	0	0
Jones, rg.....	1	0	2
Cook, lg.....	0	0	0
Totals.....	14	4	32

Bluffs	FG	F.T.	Tot.
Nichols, c.....	0	0	0
Nortrup, lf.....	0	0	0
Lankford, rf.....	0	0	0
Thompson, rf.....	7	3	17
Kilmer, rg.....	0	0	0
Knoepfel, rg.....	0	0	0
Totals.....	7	3	17

This is the second game which the D. O. K. K. team has played and they have been victorious in both instances. They will play at home Jan. 11 when the Franklin Independents will be their opponents.

M'KENDREE WILL HAVE GREEN FIVE

Most of Candidates for Basketball Are New Men—Former Wabash Star Is New Coach

LEBANON, Ill., Dec. 18.—Basketball opened its season at McKendree college here Saturday. The team has a fighting chance for success in the season, with the odds against it, because all of last year's squad except two have left school and the material to replace it lacks experience.

Coach Orville Hall, former member of the Wabash college "Wonder Five" of 1916-1917 and L. C. A. L. all-conference forward of 1920-1921, who is serving his first year as coach, has hopes that the fight his men show will make up for inexperience.

The pair of last year's squad of ten, who are back this year, are H. N. Sayre, of Lebanon, running guard, with two years on the team, and G. D. Adams, of Mount Carmel, back guard, of one year's experience.

Among the promising new men Coach Hall notes Z. H. Runkwitz, of O'Fallon, Ill., guard; J. L. Pearce and Albert Willis, both guards and from Eldorado, Ill.; S. W. Frey, W. P. Sullins, center and M. E. Halling, forward, all of Lebanon.

Games already scheduled include the following: Jan. 13—Blackburn at Carlinville. Jan. 20 — Southern Illinois State Normal at Carbondale. Jan. 27—Blackburn at Lebanon. Feb. 10—Shurtleff at Alton. Feb. 17 — Southern Illinois State Normal at Lebanon. Feb. 24—Shurtleff at Lebanon. Last year McKendree college won five games played and lost four.

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GREENVILLE PLANS ATHLETIC SEASON

GREENVILLE, Ill., Dec. 17.—In lieu of intercollegiate games, Greenville college, which shuns them, has laid out a program of winter sports to interest every one in the school.

Greenville is perhaps Illinois' only college which does not play games with other institutions. Basketball tournaments for the men and women of the college with cups for the winners are planned for this season. There will be an annual gymnasium exhibition, and exhibition games of basketball with the town American Legion teams.

Volley ball and indoor baseball help out. Regular courses are offered in basketball and track.

"We are getting good results," Walter L. Scott, athletic director at the college, reports. "The students show a lot of interest in the athletic department."

KNOT HOLE GANG. NUMBERS 62,000

ST. LOUIS, Mo.—(By A. P.)—The Knot Hole Gang, which was developed five years ago as a child welfare movement by the St. Louis National League Baseball club, had 62,000 members in attendance at games of the Cardinal here last season, Samuel Bredon, president of the club announced. Boys under 16 years old are admitted free to weekday games under the plan.

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BASKETBALL RESULTS

At Quincy, Ill.—Quincy high, 17; Bushnell high, 9.
At Peoria—Bradley, 32; Macomb normal, 6.
At Peoria—Peoria manual, 27; Roanoke high, 9.
At Wapella, Ill.—Weldon, 19; Farmer City, 17.
At Minneapolis, Minn.—University of Minnesota, 26; River Falls, Wis., Normal, 22.

NORTHWESTERN NOT GOAT IN BASKETBALL

CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—Northwestern university's basketball team defeated the Notre Dame university quintet here today by the score of 18 to 16. Captain McKenzie, of Northwestern, starred for his team by scoring ten points and making the last two baskets which decided the see-saw contest. Patterson, Northwestern football star and Kiley, Notre Dame gridiron warrior, each made two baskets and were greeted wildly by the spectators.

MINNESOTA TO PLAY HOCKEY

Minneapolis, Minn.—(By A. P.)—Altho not recognized as a major sport, hockey will be played under the institution colors, it was decided by the athletic board of control of the University of Minnesota. Refusal to designate hockey as a major sport by the athletic board was based on the fact that this winter sport is not a conference game, altho it is played by several members of the Big Ten.

Hockey officials were instructed by the board to arrange a schedule for this winter and may put out a program of appropriations necessary.

The question of granting letters to hockey men was held in abeyance by the board, pending the success of the sport from an university point of view.

PLAYFELLOW MAY BE RACED NEXT YEAR

Brother of Man o' War Alleged Wind Sucker May Have Worth Tried Under Neutral Tether

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—The possibility that Playfellow, full brother of Man o' War, and alleged "windsucker" and "cribbler" may seek to prove his worth during the next racing season under a neutral trainer loomed today.

A jury which heard evidence in Harry F. Sinclair's suit to recover the \$100,000 he paid James F. Johnson for the racer on the grounds that Johnson had misrepresented the condition of the horse returned a sealed verdict late today.

Whether the decision is favorable to Sinclair or Johnson, or, as was rumored about the court is a report of disagreement it was learned that further court proceedings are almost certain to follow. Both sides are prepared to carry the case to higher courts. In the meantime it was stated Playfellow probably will be raced by a neutral trainer. If he makes good he could easily earn enough in a season to defray his purchase price.

SOUTHERN NORMAL ANNOUNCES SCHEDULE

CARBONDALE, Ill., Dec. 17.—Southern Illinois Normal university's 1922 football schedule is announced by Athletic Director William McAndrew. The first date, October 13, together with Nov. 18, are still open. The remainder of the program follows: Oct. 20—Eastern Normal at Charleston. Oct. 27—Missouri Normal at Cape Girardeau. Nov. 4—Shurtleff college at Alton. Nov. 11—Missouri Normal at Carbondale. Nov. 25—McKendree college at Lebanon.

Bar Robes. TOM DUFF-NER'S.

ILLINOIS DEFEATS KNOX COLLEGE FIVE

URBANA, Ill., Dec. 17.—The University of Illinois defeated Knox college, 22 to 24 here, in a practice basketball game tonight. Captain Carney of Illinois scored twenty points in the first half, but was replaced by a substitute in the last half. Albro of Knox scored sixteen points. Coach Winters used fourteen men during the game.

KANSAS DRAWS WITH BARBARIAN

WINDSOR, Ont., Dec. 17.—894 Carbarian and Rocky Kansas fought ten rounds to a draw here tonight. It was a lively go all the way. Some newspaper critics dissented with the judges, claiming Barbarian should have had the decision.

In the semi-final, Curley Whill-sur, of Toronto, won the decision on point over Stanley McBride of Chicago.

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BUTLER WINS FROM CHICAGO CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—In a hard

fought contest which lacked finished team play, Butler college basketball team defeated the University of Chicago tonight, 16 to 13. Brown, of Butler, clinched the game for his mates, by making seven free throws. Romney, for Chicago, made three field goals.

APPLES FOR CHRISTMAS

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CONFIDENCE GAME COUNT IS QUASHED BY JUDGE EDWARDS

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world that he was guilty! Guilty as hell!

The governor, Mr. McFarlane, declared, has been denied the right guaranteed him under the constitution, of a fair trial after due process of law.

"You can find one place in the history of this case that has been conducted according to due process of law," he said.

"Oh! What a hurt and injury it is, judge. The great climax, the great tragedy spoken of in this case, that a man who came from the walks of life that were common and went high, climbed a long, long way—he became the chief executive of a great state—and they not only charged him with a crime; they didn't bring only the ordinary shame and humiliation that would come to him but wilfully, cruelly, brutally, they prepared that paper. And emblazoned him to the world as thief! embezzler! conspirator!"

"Here are the facts: 'We brand him, we the right arm of the court of Sangamon county, not with the charge or accusation of crime, we citizens of the state of Illinois brand him! We call out, arouse yourselves, disown him wherever he goes, follow him and crucify him and then we raise our voices in protest before this court they dare say it in the name of the people of the state of Illinois that this thing we have done is not a violation of the law and the constitution of the state of Illinois!'

"I ask your honor in this case to take the great, big, broad, question, the conduct of these gentlemen from the time that they organized their board of supervisors at the special meeting in April, 1920, and follow it step by step down to the place where you come in this case and it there comes a question as to whether your honor will plant your feet firmly upon the rock of the constitution of the state of Illinois and roll back this iniquitous charge and let the innocent man go, or to establish a precedent that no matter what is done during a prosecution of this kind, all is well."

MAKERS OF TOYS AND DOLLS ASK FOR PROTECTION

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discussed before the committee during the day.

Dr. Thaddeus P. Hyatt, chairman of the Oral Hygiene committee of Greater New York, pleaded that tooth brushes be put on the free list. He said there were only two American manufacturers of such brushes and that the cost of their product was high.

George A. Fernley of Philadelphia, speaking for the American Brush Manufacturers Association said the American home demand and that their product was far superior to the imported article. He added that one of the manufacturers, thru its national advertising campaign had done more to spread the doctrine of oral hygiene than the entire dental profession.

E. M. Johnson of New York City speaking for American manufacturers of imitation pearls and specialties, urged that the duties on these articles as proposed in the Fordney bill be retained. He exhibited a varied collection of imitation articles manufactured in this country and gave the wholesale prices remarking that the retailers "get the profits."

A protest against the Fordney rates on imported pearl buttons was made by Frank J. Applebee of New York City, an importer. He said the Fordney rates were prohibitive and also asked that the fifteen percent ad valorem rate on agate buttons be reduced to ten per cent.

NO ACTION ON RATE DECREASE UNTIL JANUARY

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running at the rate of 2.2 per cent on invested capital.

Eward Chambers, vice president of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe argued for western carriers that manifestly the present rate schedule could not be considered too high since the figures developed by L. E. Wetling, manager of their traffic bureau showed current earnings to be 3.04 per cent on valuation of their properties. As to traffic, Mr. Chambers expressed the opinion that the business "has reached bottom" but that until European buying begins on a larger scale, business cannot be increased.

Commissioner Hall presiding at the hearing gave notice of shippers represented at the hearing that their appearing in the present proceedings would not bar them from prosecuting individual complaints against particular rates which they desire to see adjusted.

SAYS MUST GET BACK TO OLD FASHIONED WAYS

Chicago, Dec. 17.—Governor D. W. Davis of Idaho today told members of the Women's Roosevelt Republican club today that the American home should be reclaimed by religious adherence to the old fashioned principles of thrift, economy and respect for law. In the course of his address Governor Davis scored improper motion picture films which, he said, from his experience with the board of pardons of his state, suggested many crimes.

\$75,000 Beauty



John McGraw paid \$75,000, the highest price ever paid for a minor league ballplayer, for O'Connell, first baseman and outfielder of the San Francisco team of the Pacific Coast League. O'Connell will not report to the Giants until the fall of 1922.

SUGGEST CHARGES IN TENNIS TOURNAMENTS

New York, Dec. 17.—Suggestions for radical changes in the manner of conducting championship tournaments were contained in reports of sub-committees of the United States Tennis association submitted to that body's executive committee today.

The most notable of these suggestions contemplates seeding the "draw at national tournaments—eliminating the blind draw thru a series of eliminations."

CHRISTMAS CAROL WILL BE PRESENTED

Loyal Woman's Class of Central Christian Church to Give Bird's Work Tuesday evening.

"Bird's Christmas Carol," will be presented next Tuesday evening under the auspices of the Loyal Women of Central Christian church. The cast which follows, includes some persons from other classes.

The cast is composed of the following:

Uncle Jack—W. H. Crum.
Mr. Bird—Homer Ranson.
Mrs. Bird—Mrs. John Tayman.
Grandma Bird—Grandma Jordan.
Carol Bird—Leah Tayman.
Donald Bird—Donald Swales.
Paul Bird—Orville Patton.
Hugh Bird—Junior Zahn.
Nurse Elfrida—Mrs. Patchen.
Maid—Mrs. Miley.
Mrs. Ruggles—Eleanor Thompson.
Pete Ruggles—Ben Roodhouse.
Clem Ruggles—Homer Ranson.
Peoria Ruggles—Mrs. Zahn.
Kitty Ruggles—Mrs. Charles Patton.

Susan Ruggles—Mrs. Frank Rataichak.
Cornelius Ruggles—Charles Roberts.
Elly Ruggles—Mrs. Charles Roberts.

Sarah Maud—Mrs. Edgar Stout.
Larry—Clarence DePew.
A synopsis of the entertainment follows:

Act I
Scene I
Christmas morning—The new baby in the Bird's nest.

Act I
Scene II
Ten years later—Baby Carol, the angel of the house, now a hopeless invalid, plans a Christmas dinner for the Ruggles family.

Act II
Scene I
The invitation received.

Act II
Scene II
Preparations for the party.
Act III

The party itself.
Closing scene (Tableau).
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In the course of a very few days E. W. Brown, Jr., will open an automobile salesroom at 228 South Main street. This building was recently erected by M. M. Cordes and is especially well suited for automobile display purposes. Mr. Brown has been a representative of the Studebaker car and will have a full line of models on display. Extensive stocks of Studebaker parts and accessories will also be carried, and very satisfactory service is assured to Studebaker owners.

Mr. Brown has also made known the purchase of a building lot and the plans are now being drawn for the erection of a modern sales and service establishment. During several years' residence in St. Louis Mr. Brown was associated with the automobile business and he is thoroughly familiar with the various phases of the business. Because of this experience and other advantageous circumstances, Mr. Brown has reason for expecting a successful business.

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L. P. Cowdin and family, of Joy Prairie, were doing holiday shopping with local merchants Saturday.

FAMOUS AL JENNINGS APPEARED AT RIALTO.

"Buried Treasure" was presented at Buckthorpe's Rialto theatre yesterday and was a thrilling western story. The scenes were made the more vivid by the presence of Al Jennings, one of the actors in the film. Mr. Jennings, now a mild mannered conscientious actor in London, was once classed as an outlaw train robber.

In addressing the audience yesterday he turned some very interesting and intimate pages in his own history, and thus made a very substantial contribution to the interest of Saturday's Rialto's program.

Quo Vadis is the Rialto's offering for the first three days of the coming week, the picture properly ranking as one of the greatest ever made.

Gloves for ladies, men and children. TOM DUFFNER'S.

WILL URGE WABASH TO INCREASE SERVICE.

The chamber of commerce committee appointed to make an effort to secure additional passenger service on the Wabash will be actively at work this week. The committee includes Fred Begg, Charles Buhner and Chas. Fiedler, all representing large shipping interests.

The restoration of a train running about on the schedule of the old "bob tail" would be very helpful to Jacksonville and to the people of the surrounding trade area.

LEFT FOR HOT SPRINGS

Mrs. Lawrence Henry of Woodson left Saturday morning for an extended stay in Hot Springs, Ark. She will later be joined there by her husband.

ORGANIZING FARM LOAN COMMITTEE

E. E. Crabtree Will Serve District in Work of War Finance Corporation—Committee to Pass on Bank Applications for Farmers' Funds

E. E. Crabtree yesterday received an urgent request from the War Finance Corporation to become a member of a committee of five to pass upon applications for loans made by banks. A. O. Wilson, vice president of the State National bank of St. Louis, is the chairman of the committee. He called Mr. Crabtree yesterday from St. Louis, urging his acceptance of the appointment and supplementing the letter of request Mr. Crabtree had just received from the department at Washington.

It is understood that this financial work is being handled in areas similar to those effective for liberty loan organization. Applications from banks in the north half of Illinois will be passed upon by a committee organized in Chicago. Three bankers there, together with George Keyes, of Springfield, and another banker from the north part of the state, constitute this committee.

Mr. Crabtree is expected to go to St. Louis Tuesday for a conference with Mr. Wilson and will undertake the work unless it demands a large amount of time, which is not probable.

By act of congress, a fund of \$50,000,000 was made available for the War Finance Corporation for the particular use of aiding farmers. In many localities the banks have not sufficient funds to lend farmers in order to enable the farmers to carry their grain for a time or to proceed with livestock operations. The prices for grain and live stock declined so rapidly that many farmers of stable financial standing find themselves embarrassed. This condition, as reflected in many of the banks where some extensive loans had been made, with the expectation that normal conditions would prevail the past fall and this winter, and that a large portion of the loans would be repaid. But the expected conditions have not developed and farmers consequently have not repaid the loans, and the banks have been unable to take care of the applications for additional loans, even the satisfaction with the financial standing of the farmer-applicants.

Finance Corporation's Purpose

It is to take care of such situations and to make funds available for the banks and so for the farmers, that the War Finance Corporation fund was created. It should be understood that a farmer must have the elements necessary for a safe loan—that is, integrity and a certain amount of financial responsibility. Farmers are expected to furnish collateral, but the provisions are such that their grain or live stock may be used as such security. It is the expectation that in this way they will be enabled to hold their corn or other grain and market it over a long period. Those who wish to feed cattle or hogs will thus be tied over until the time when their live stock is sold and turned into money.

If a farmer does not have available collateral, he must be a man of such standing that the local bank has faith in him and is willing to endorse his paper. In fact, the plan contemplates that the bank which borrows money from the War Finance Corporation shall accept the paper of farmers, endorse it, and use it as collateral for loans made from the corporation.

Eugene Meyer is director of the corporation and he has appointed a corn-belt advisory committee with particular reference to affairs affecting the corporation and farmers in Illinois, Iowa, Indiana and Ohio.

Advisory Committee Members

The members of this committee are: Chairman—Gov. Warren T. McCray, Indiana.

Vice chairman—E. T. Meredith, former secretary of agriculture, Des Moines, Ia.

J. R. Howard, president of the American Farm Bureau federation, Chicago.

Edward Chambers, vice president of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe railroad, Chicago.

Alexander Legge, general manager, International Harvester company, Chicago.

Charles Brand, Urbana, Ohio, state senator.

Lloyd S. Tenny, assistant to the chief, bureau of markets and crop estimates, United States department of agriculture, Washington, D. C.

C. H. McNider, president of the First National bank, Mason City, Ia.

Ladies' silk and wool hose. TOM DUFFNER'S.

WINCHESTER FATHERS AND SONS BANQUET

Department of Agriculture of the High School Gave Banquet Friday Evening for Fathers and Sons—Other News Notes.

Winchester, Dec. 17.—The department of agriculture of the Winchester community high school had a father and sons banquet in the dining room of the Baptist church Friday evening. The banquet was served by the mothers of the boys and the menu included baked chicken and all the good things which usually go with it. Mrs. John Dahman was chairman of the committee on arrangements.

The tables were decorated in true Christmas fashion and presented a very attractive appearance, and the whole event was one which was greatly enjoyed by the large company present.

The guests included the members of the high school board of education, Superintendent C. W. Smith, W. Guy Husted, county adviser, E. L. Dillon, instructor of agriculture and Prof. Carl Colvin, state supervisor of cultural education.

After the banquet came a program of toasts, with William Wainwright serving as toastmaster. The program was as follows:

Welcome—Tom Glossop.

Vocational education in our community—Supt. C. W. Smith.

Book "Larkin"—Edward L. Dillon.

Co-operation of farm and school—J. C. Moore.

Practical value of club work—Guy Husted.

Address—Prof. Carl Colvin.

The funeral of Mrs. Lena Davenport was held at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon from the Baptist church.

The remains were accompanied to Winchester by the sons of the deceased, Ames and Earl Davenport, of Chicago, together with their wives.

The church was well filled with the relatives and friends of the deceased, who was formerly a resident of the Winchester community. S. G. Smith sang "Abide With Me," and the scripture lesson and prayer were by Rev. W. R. Johnson. Mr. Smith then sang "A Perfect Day" following which Rev. Mr. Johnson read an obituary sketch and delivered the funeral discourse. The closing number was a solo "Face to Face" by Mr. Smith. It was the request of the deceased that Mr. Smith furnish the music for the funeral service.

Mrs. J. W. Eckman was the accompanist.

Interment was in the Winchester cemetery and the bearers were Ivan Hawk, Allen, Chester, Thurman and James Tankersley and Wilson Coulter.

The floral offerings were in charge of Mrs. Grant Coulter, Mrs. Robert Hawk, Mrs. Giles Tankersley and Mrs. Chester Tankersley.

There were quite a number of Christmas shoppers in town Saturday in spite of the very inclement weather. Among the shoppers were residents of Merritt, Riggs and Alton and other nearby communities.

Silk Shirts. TOM DUFFNER'S.

INSTITUTED CHAPTER OF ORDER OF EASTERN STAR

A chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star was instituted at Concord Saturday night and will hold Chapter 355. Eastern Star put on the work. All of the local O. E. S. officers and some of the members of the lodge went to Concord Saturday afternoon to assist in the ceremonies. Grand officers from Chicago and Springfield were present for the occasion.

Among those from this city were Mr. and Mrs. Alex Rabjohn, Mrs. Ed Shibe, Miss Leah Caldwell, Miss Fern Haigh, Mr. and Mrs. Rowland and Mrs. Crawford.

HOME FOR HOLIDAYS

Miss Marjorie McMurphy has arrived home from Washington, D. C., where she has been attending school, and will spend Christmas vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson McMurphy on West College avenue.

J. W. JACKSON PURCHASES LOT

A lot on North Church street belonging to L. E. Lyons of Springfield was sold at auction Saturday afternoon, to J. W. Jackson for \$750. The auctioneer was C. Justus Wright.

VETERAN POULTRY MAN HAD WINNERS

T. Warren Sharp of Springfield, a veteran poultry raiser had a number of prize fowls in the Morgan County Poultry show. Mr. Sharp was in the city Saturday.

R. H. Vall was a caller in Jacksonville from the Pisgah vicinity yesterday.

Miss Maude Criswell was among the Franklin shoppers in the city yesterday.

CLUBS AND SOCIETY

Mrs. A. R. Gregory Hostess To Williamson-Alcott Bridal Party.

Mrs. A. R. Gregory of 551 South Main street, entertained the members of the Williamson-Alcott bridal party Saturday afternoon at a luncheon. Pretty favors and a delicious menu made this a most attractive affair. The wedding of Miss Helen Alcott and Harlan Williamson will be early in the coming year.

Christmas Party At State Street Church.

A Christmas party was given Saturday afternoon at State Street church for the children of the Primary, Beginners and Cradle Roll departments of the Sunday school. Including the mothers, about 125 guests enjoyed the event. Games, a big tree, candy bags for each one and delicious refreshments made a successful party. Miss Mary Debyus, superintendent, and the teachers were the hostesses.

Congregational Guild Met Saturday Afternoon.

The Congregational Guild entertained Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. H. L. Caldwell, on West College avenue in honor of the retiring officers. The husbands of the members were asked and a 6 o'clock dinner was served. A grab bag and stunts and games made an entertaining evening.

Mrs. Eugene Keefe, the outgoing president, Mrs. W. B. Young, the first vice president; Miss Ruth Bailey, former secretary and Mrs. Hackett Wilder, who was bazaar chairman, were the special guests.

Gamma Delta Meets

The Gamma Delta Literary Society held its regular meeting at Beecher Hall Friday afternoon. The guests were the honorary members and the Freshman class.

Miss Florence Chapin reading "Chimes of Christmas Bells," Miss Mary Alice Pearce "Christmas in Other Lands," Number entitled "Etilia Nacht" was played on the victrola. Miss Mary Elizabeth Cogswell reading, "Christmas Matinee." The program was very much enjoyed.

Will Give Dinner Party for Son

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Black are giving a dinner party today in honor of the twenty-first birthday of their son, Paul Black. Twenty-four guests will be present at the Black home just north of the city, for the dinner which will be served at noon. The afternoon will then be spent in a pleasant social way.

Busy Bee Class Had Christmas Doll Party

Members of the Busy Bee Sunday school class of Central

Christian church, taught by Mrs. T. Clarkson were entertained at a Christmas doll party at the home of the president, Miss Margaret Boston, 545 Hardin avenue, Saturday afternoon. Each child dressed a doll which was brought to the party and will be sent to the orphan's home in St. Louis for Christmas. The children spent the afternoon in playing games and the hostess served refreshments of apples, ice cream and cake.

Housekeepers' Class Entertained Tuesday

The Housekeepers' class of Westminster church, was delightfully entertained Friday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock, at Maple Crest. Mesdames Henry Doller, Vicent Riley and Will Gilbert, were hostesses. Contests and games were the order of the afternoon and much fun and merriment resulted. Prizes of baskets of fruit were awarded Mesdames R. R. Stevenson and W. C. Rabjohn. A Christmas luncheon was served and decorations appropriate to the holiday season were used to enhance the beauty of the apartment.

Mrs. Stevenson, the teacher of the class presented each member with a Christmas gift.

FARM BUREAU NOTES

Under the auspices of the farm bureau a poultry culling demonstration will be given Monday morning at 9 o'clock at the farm of Dr. A. B. Applebee northwest of the city. Associate County Agent H. J. Rucker will have charge of the demonstration.

Tuesday night the dairy film will be shown at Murrayville. The presentation will be in charge of S. J. Starnard who will also make a brief address. This film is being presented under the auspices of a state department for the purpose of increasing the interest in dairying.

The executive committee of the farm bureau held a session Saturday afternoon when matters of general routine interest were discussed. A meeting of the breeders association was also held at the farm bureau office for the transaction of general business.

DR. W. H. SCHOTT SUFFERS INJURY

Dr. W. H. Schott of Alexander, was burned from carbolic acid which poured on his face when a bottle fell off the shelf in his laboratory. His eyes were not injured but for several days, he will have to remain indoors and take every precaution against serious developments.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

W. H. Cocking to C. O. Bayha, pt. lot 22 old plat Jacksonville, Lucie C. Bayt to F. G. Curtis, pt. southeast quarter 1-15-9, \$1. F. G. Curtis to E. E. Crabtree and Walter Bellatti, trustees, pt. southeast quarter 1-15-9, \$1.

CLUB NOTES

The Parent-Teacher association of Fourth Ward will meet at three o'clock Wednesday afternoon, at Washington school. The children will give a special Christmas program. The mothers of the third grade pupils will be hostesses.

Miss Ashwood's Sunday school class of Centenary church will give an entertainment and box social at the church Tuesday at 7:30 o'clock. Everybody invited and girls are requested to bring boxes.

The Woman's Home Missionary society of Grace church will meet at the church Wednesday, Dec. 21, Mrs. J. H. Dial, program leader, Mrs. J. R. Davis, hostess. They will be assisted by group No. 3, Mrs. Arthur Cody, Mrs. W. C. Cook, Mrs. Ormsby Dawson, Mrs. Ellis, Mrs. Lulu Emery, Miss Draper, Miss DeMotte, Miss Olive Dunlap and Miss Susie Dunlap. The board of management of the Rev. James Caldwell Chapter D. A. R. will meet at the home of the Regent, Miss Fairbank, 216 Caldwell street Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The Queen Esther Circle of Centenary church will meet Monday evening at the church. The hostesses will be Misses Mabel and Marjory Biggs and Irene Arter. Miss Eunice Haerle will be in charge of the program, and Mrs. Claude Vall will lead the devotions. This will be the annual Christmas program and party and there will be a Christmas grab bag.

DON'T FORGET DOUBLE STAMPS RABJOHNS & REID EXTENDS THANKS

The Poultry Association desire to express its sincere thanks to the business men for their loyal donations and to The Journal for their kind and generous publicity, all of which combined to make this the most attractive poultry show held in Jacksonville Morgan County Poultry Association.

EVERYTHING for the home, at the PEOPLE'S Furniture Co.

SALE OF FOODS AT MURRAYVILLE

The Murrayville Foreign Missionary Society of the Murrayville church held a sale of foods Saturday afternoon at the city hall. A great variety of attractive articles offered for sale brought very good prices and the ladies realized quite a nice sum.

BUY YOUR TOYS from PEOPLES Furniture Co.

DEPUTY BERTRAND HEADS FRENCH VETS

PARIS, Dec. 17.—Deputy Charles W. Bertrand today was re-elected president of the International Veterans Federation at the second annual congress of that organization in session here. Lieutenant Colonel Cabot Ward, vice-commander of the Paris post of the American Legion was re-elected vice-president.

Other officers elected were: Captain Dudley Taylor of Great Britain, second vice-president and Major H. R. Harlow, also a Britisher, treasurer.

Ladies' Holeproof Hosiery in regular and out sizes. TOM DUFFNER.

William and Oscar Petefish, of Literberry, were transacting business in Jacksonville yesterday.

188 proof alcohol, 75c a gallon, put in your car. BABB & GIBBS.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Crum came in from Literberry Saturday, to do holiday shopping.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR SALE—Choice Timothy hay \$14 per ton. James Guinane, Chapin, Ill. 12-18-21

FOR SALE—House in Second ward on good street; monthly payment plan. Address "Home" this office. 12-18-21

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Photos for Xmas

Will There Be Any Books in Your Home Christmas Morning?

When you overlook giving books for Christmas Gifts you overlook the most important gift. Other things perish—the influence of a good book never. And then, too, they are within the price of everyone.

CHILDREN'S BOOKS

What a beautiful line we have for the kiddies, for boys and girls in their teens. Wise parents give their children good books, for they know that in years to come they will see the reward for so doing. Mrs. Scribner, librarian of the children's department at the public library, will be with us Thursday and you know how competent she is to give you good advice on the kind of books your children should read.

Do Not Forget the Big Line of Moderately Priced Christmas Gifts we Have

SELECTION NO. 1 NEW BOOKS	SELECTION NO. 2 NEW BOOKS	SELECTION NO. 3 NEW BOOKS	SELECTION NO. 4
Mirrors of Washington Mirrors of Downing Street Queen Victoria Americanization of Edward Bok	Wells Outline of History Roaming Thru the West Indies Woodrow Wilson As I Knew Him—Tumulty	The Burning Cup Helen of the Old House Her Father's Daughter The Sheik If Winter Comes	Kingdom Round the Corner Main Street Quills Window—McCutcheon The Obstacle Race The Pride of Palomar Mystic Isles of South Sea
SELECTION NO. 5 NEW BOOKS	SELECTION NO. 6 FOR SPECIAL GIFTS	SELECTION NO. 7 FOR BOYS AND GIRLS	SELECTION NO. 8 FOR BOYS AND GIRLS
Rilla of Ingleside Success Tarzan the Terrible Galusha the Magnificent Alice Adams	Valley of Vision—Van Dyle Spirit of Christmas The Mansion When Day is Done—Guest Anthology Magazine Verse 1921	Boy Scout Year Book Huckleberry Finn Elsie Dinsmore Motor Boys Little Men	Little Women Eight Cousins Little Pepper Books The Hoosier School Boy Life of Edison Life of Lincoln

Read Everyone of These Items

SUGGESTION NO. 9	SUGGESTION NO. 10	SUGGESTION NO. 11	SUGGESTION NO. 12
Corona Typewriter Fancy Ink Wells Brass Desk Sets Narcissus Outfits Games for Children Beautiful Calendars	Remington Portable Waterman Fountain Pens Leather Memory Books Line-A-Day Books Leather Writing Cases Address Books	Eastman Kodaks College Pennants Brief Cases Articles in Bronze The Pal Pencil Eversharp Pencils	Oxford Bibles Children's Testaments Tennis Racquets Manicure Sets Games for Children
SUGGESTION NO. 13	SUGGESTION NO. 14	SUGGESTION NO. 15	SUGGESTION NO. 16
Crane's Fine Paper Book Ends J. H. S. Memory Books Safety Razors Enamel Blackboards Webster's Dictionaries	Fancy Baskets Sealing Wax Sets Unique Doll Walkers 1922 Diaries Pocket Books \$1.00 Pencil Sharpeners	Framed Mottos Photograph Albums Fine White Tissue Paper Red Tissue Paper Dennison Wax Sticks	Beautiful Dolls Felt Toy Animals Fancy Pencil Boxes Children's Puzzles Parcheesi

We Have beautiful Christmas Greeting Cards

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Fine hand tooled Spanish Cowhide hand bags; Ivory toilet sets, \$5 to \$75; Ivory individual pieces, 50c to \$15; Perfumes, all grades, imported and the U. S. A. kind; Candle Sticks; Desk Sets; Consols; Fancy Baskets; Moccasins; Kodaks; Thermos Bottles and Carafes and Cases; Alarm Clocks; Electric Toasters; Manicure Sets in rolls and boxes; Candy in fancy boxes; Fountain Pens with silk guard; Eversharp Pencils, small, for handbags; Perfume Atomizers; Kodaks and Cameras; Kodak Albums; Over-Nite Bags; Candy Thermometers; Vanity Cases; Face Powders.

For Men

Thermos Stanley Bottles; Safety Razors; Fountain Pens; Cigars in Xmas Boxes; Ingersol Watches; Clocks; Library Sets; Alarm Clocks; Desk Sets; Book Racks; Safety Razor Stropping Machines; Razor Stroppers; Lather Brushes; Cups; Travel Rolls, equipped; Cigarette Cases; Bill Folds; Military Brushes; Rhinohide Belts; Kodaks and Cameras; Collar Bags; Smoking Sets; Shaving Mirrors and Stands; Kodak Albums; Thermometers; Thermos Lunch Boxes.

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SECTION TWO

SUNDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 18, 1921

SANITARY DISTRICT HELPS DEEP WATERWAY

Chicago Engineer Tells Something
of the Size of the Canal Built
—Has Resulted in Improve-
ment of Rivers.

CHICAGO—(By A. P.)—The
Sanitary District, of Chicago al-
though organized for sanitary pur-
poses has as incidental to the
carrying out of its real duty, done
more than any other one organi-

zation to help the Illinois Water-
way project, J. H. Lawley, of Chi-
cago told the members of the Chi-
cago Chapter of the American
Association of Engineers here.

"The real work of the Sanitary
District is the disposal of the sew-
age of Chicago," said Mr. Lawley.
"This has been done by dilution
for the past twenty years. In
providing for dilution, canals have
been dug and rivers have been
improved, all of which work is of
very material help to the new Il-
linois Waterway. As there is no
limit to the growth of Chicago,
the Sanitary District is now start-
ing the disposal of sewage by
treatment. Two large sewage
treatment plants are nearing com-
pletion.

"The main drainage canal for
sanitary purposes, is more than
thirty miles long and has a mini-
mum depth of twenty feet and a
maximum width of 160 feet giving
a capacity between Chicago and
Joliet much greater than that
proposed for the canal to be con-
structed under the recent water-
way act.

"The Sanitary District has also

improved the Chicago river for a
length of six miles, providing a
channel 200 feet wide and 26 feet
deep. The Calumet-Sag, now
practically completed, forms an
important short-cut between the
drainage canal at Sag and the
Calumet industrial region.

FRANCE CAN EMPLOY FOREIGN WORKMEN

PARIS, Dec. 17. — There are
only 16,400 persons officially re-
corded as out of employment in
France. The nation is now in a
position to receive foreign labor.
Wages, however, are low in com-
parison to scales existing in great-
er industrial countries.

The situation is regarded as
unusually good in view of wide-
spread unemployment in Great
Britain and other countries. Lat-
est figures received by the French
government show that there are
1,423,000 persons out of work in
the United Kingdom.

So fortunate is the situation in
France that it is now estimated
that the country can employ
1,600,000 foreign workmen com-
pared with 600,000 before the
war. The greater portion of these
would be sent to the farms and
the remainder used in the build-
ing trades, mines and other indus-
tries.

A bill to regulate the importa-
tion of foreign labor into France
will shortly be introduced in the
chamber of deputies. The mea-
sures create a special bureau,
under the ministry of foreign af-
fairs to regulate the importation
of foreign labor without hard-
ship to the native workers.

TWO FORMER CRUISERS JUNKED

Oakland, Cal.—By The A. P.—
Two former proud cruisers, the
Minnesota and the Marblehead,
which helped make American
naval history during the Spanish
War, were sold for junk here re-
cently and are being dismantled
at an Oakland shipyard.

Junk dealers purchased the
two veteran vessels from the navy
department recently for approxi-
mately \$20,000. When the ships
were built about thirty years ago
they cost almost \$6,000,000. The
junk dealers say they hope to take
from the vessels material worth
about \$500,000.

First to go to the junk yard was
the Minneapolis, a second-class
protected cruiser, built in 1894 of
7,350 tons displacement. Work-
men with gas torches immediately
started to cut away at her sides,
her mahogany furniture was re-
moved, her decks cut out and soon
flat cars were carrying away huge
pieces of steel. Soon after the
workmen started, a fire broke out
on the vessel and nearly destroyed
it. The Marblehead, a little third
class cruiser, built in 1890, of 2,-
972 tons displacement, follows the
Minnesota to the graveyard.

The name of the Marblehead
was wired around the world
when, during the Spanish war, in
company with the cruisers Nash-
ville she entered the harbor of
San Juan, Cuba, and cut a cable
while under fire. The Minnesota
was one of the ships of the fam-
ous "flying squadron" under
Commodore Schley.

GOLD SUPPLY IS NOW DIMINISHING

BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 18 —
Notwithstanding the legal prohibi-
tion against exportation of gold
from Argentina, the visible supply
has diminished since the first of
the year by approximately eight
million dollars. The conclusion
among bankers is that it has been
smuggled out of the country and
that the destination of most of it
was the United States.

Reports concerning this clan-
destine exportation have been
made to Finance Minister Sala-
berry, who is understood to have
ordered an investigation altho
nothing has been made public as
to the result.

PAY TRIBUTE TO LOUIS KOSSUTH

BUDAPEST, Dec. 17.—After
the sitting of the national assem-
bly at which the dethronement of
the Hapsburgs was pronounced,
the members of the small farm-
ers and agrarian party went to
the Kerepes cemetery where Louis
Kossuth is buried and the lead-
er of the party, Szabo, minister
of agriculture, placed a magni-
ficent wreath on the tomb, with
an inscription on the ribbon,
"Kossuth, thou has conquered."

In a short speech the minister
recalled how the hero of the war
or Hungarian independence, pro-
nounced the dethronement of
the Hapsburgs in 1849.

GIVE SOME IDEA LABOR CONDITIONS

Geneva.—(By A. P.)—Some
idea of the misery and primitive-
ness of agricultural labor condi-
tions in some parts of Europe was
given the International Federa-
tion of Working Women during
its recent congress here, by the
Italian delegate, Signora Casar-
telli.

She indicated the low stand-
ard of living by suggesting as a
program of improvement four recom-
mendations: That agricultural
laborers must not sleep in co-
stables, that each worker should
have a separate bed, that beds
should be aired and rooms heated
if necessary, and that men and wo-
men should have separate quar-
ters under sanitary conditions.

Presidential Campaign from Washington to Roosevelt

The first installment of a re-
view of "Presidential Campaigns
from Washington to Roosevelt,"
by George Murray McConnell,
printed in the Journal last Sun-
day, was written by John Kearns.
Explanation should be given that
this book is one of special group
now being acquired by Phi Alpha
society of Illinois college. The
effort is being made to secure au-
thograph copies of books published
by members of the society.

No table in this group is the
book by Mr. McConnell, who spent
the earlier years of his life in
Jacksonville. While resident here
he was associated with the liter-
ary life of the city and was very
active in his work with the Old
Home Dramatic club. He was for
years the dramatic critic of the
Chicago Times and subsequently
held a like position with the Chi-
cago Chronicle, a paper which
during its somewhat brief period
of life was accounted as almost
an ideal publication.

Mr. McConnell, now well ad-
vanced in years, is living in Indi-
anapolis.

No doubt, the rapid growth of
the country has brought about
conditions—that politics has not
been able to keep pace with. There
are questions before us now that
parties and Congresses, and presi-
dents, appear to read, and to
evade, putting off the solving
from time to time with make-
shifts, as they did the slavery
question. The labor question, for
example. The same old question,
only differing in locale, that was
put up to Christ, who solved it—
or perhaps complicated it—by
saying, "I will give unto this last,
even unto thee."

Such questions as these the
later administrations show a cow-
ardly backwardness about hand-
ling. All is makeshift—a little
tightening here, a little yielding
there in response to the greatest
stimulus. Where is the permanent
solution in any compromise as to
eight hours, or ten hours, or six
hours, as to a day's labor? As to
five, ten, or fifteen percent, as to
legitimate profits? As to twelve
or sixteen years as the age-limit
of child labor? As it was in the
beginning, our political govern-
ment as a power is little less than
a chip in a whirlpool. The real
country, the common people, un-
derstand it not, and little or no-
thing it knows or cares for the
people of whom it is presumed to
be the servants. Congress appears
to be suspended in a rarefied
medium provided for its comfort by
"big business" and the "money
power" and various and sundry
secret-lobbying and self-seeking
organizations.

And yet our author himself
laughs at the "money power," so
called, and dismisses it all in a
paragraph saying it is nothing
more than the same old power
that has been the root of all evil
for all time—disparagingly, as if
to imply that there is no remedy
for it any more than there is for
the devil, who invites toleration
by saying, "I am, because I am."
Is it possible that he can see no
brighter prospect for the nation
than the thralldom of the al-
mighty dollar? Is it possible
that he thinks the rest of the
country is sunk in the same abyss
of materialism as are the politi-
cians and their organizations they
command—so sunk that there is
no prospect of finding a leader
that will dare set his face against
this mighty internal enemy, and
lead a party of higher ideals to
victory over its legions.

The wild scramble for place
during the exciting moments of
the anti-saloon campaign show up
better than anything else the dis-
gusting traits of politics. And
there are other problems pend-
ing that may show up more than
this. I am sorry that the author
did not seem to have his ear to
the ground, writing as he is sup-
posed to be about a dozen years
ago. But like the rest he seems
to have had it plugged with cot-
ton.

Why could he not have devoted
a few paragraphs to the subject
of the real worth and benefit of
expensive political system we
support? What does it actually
accomplish for the good of the
nation? What is the economic
necessity of such an institution?

Speaking of cotton reminds me:
I happened to be in the South the
year that cotton dropped so low.
Such a crop there was, that there
was talk of burning it, and much
of it was burned—bought up and
burned, in a rage of spite at the
low market, or in an effort to re-
duce the supply so that the price
would go up. Destroying good
cotton and millions of people go-
ing in rags and unclothed. A boun-
tiful harvest that was a curse
instead of a blessing. Shall
we pray, not "give us our daily
bread," but for half a loaf, half a
crop, so that the price will be
stable. Pray for destructive
storms, and drought, and swarms
of insects. And then only then
may we be assured of prosperity
—and the poor, well, but the poor
we have with ye always. And so
we are liable to have them with ye
always. But did the wiseacres at
Washington ever propose any
remedy for the emergency, or at-
tempt to take any precaution, un-
less it was one calculated to force
the cost of production and the
selling price a little farther apart

than ever before. Had they taken
the trouble to legislate to remedy
this condition, perhaps the farm-
ers today would not be burning
coal, and starving, in a sense, in
the midst of a bountiful harvest.

To be sure, I am not censoring
the writer of this book for the ex-
istence of these evils. But I do
feel like censoring him for the
fault of neglecting the opportu-
nity—nay, duty—to flay the cor-
rupt politicians, when about all
he had to do was to lay on right
and left, like Jesus in his Father's
house, and he could hardly mis-
stringing a thief in this, the big-
gest den of big thieves in modern
or ancient times. You are aware
that I am using the term "thief" in
a broad sense, much as Jesus
understood it. Honor and honesty
there are among thieves, only
perhaps no two of them anywhere
would agree as to the specific
application of these virtues.
Whether you know it or not,
there are certain folk nowadays
who even hold that such things
as Rent, Profit, and Interest are
basically dishonorable things. You
may say that all this is an imprac-
tical theory, but—so is Heaven.

However, it may be that I owe
the writer of the book an apology
for taking him to task for such
things, when he had merely set
out to do a single thing, and do it
well—as he has done it well by
sticking pretty close to his theme.
While I, on the other hand, have
not stuck closely to my theme,
but have wandered all over the
field. But I do not plead provoca-
tion in the inferences I draw
from between the lines, that he
holds certain opinions as to the
great question confronting us, not
merely the United States, but the
world, today—the great questions
of social and economic justice
that will probably occupy our at-
tention for the rest of the presen-
tary, if not longer. You may talk
facetiously of sporadic or freak
movements, and mushroom
parties—look at the fate of the
Prohibition party, for instance.
But it is certain that popular sen-
timent and political parties do not
always collaborate, and even now
it is possible for a great mass of
people to be thinking one thing
and voting another, for purely
physiological reasons. In fact,
the author records several in-
stances of just such phenomena in
his work.

Of my own fault in getting off
the track a little bit, I am fully
aware. I begin with a book re-
view, and end up with a sermon.
But the times right now seem to
call for either one or the other of
these two things—sermons, or di-
rect action. Since I am in no po-
sition to take any part in politics
myself, I must content myself
with sermonizing.

However, you must not take it
that, because I have found fault
with the author's principles, in-
stead of his style, that I consider
it a waste of good time to have
read his book. I do not, at all.
Indeed, I can only wish that the
writers of books I esteem for their
principles had such gift as this.

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their audience for all time, and
effects more commensurate per-
haps with their purpose and sin-
cerity.
John Kearns.
Jacksonville, Ill.,
December 1, 1921.

LIVINGSTON COUNTY BOLDS THE RECORD

Springfield, Ill.—(By A. P.)
—Among the twenty-six Illinois
counties that produced onions in
marketable quantities this year,
the counties of Henderson and
Livingston held the record for
highest production per acre, it is
announced by S. D. Fessenden,
Illinois agricultural statistician.
Their average yield per acre
was 200 bushels as compared with
the average for Illinois of 95 bush-
els, and the average for the entire
country of 178.9 bushels.

The county of Cook held the
next highest average of 175 bush-
els, then came the county of Rock
Island with 165 bushels. Other
averages by counties were as fol-
lows:

Jefferson 100 bushels; Pope
100; Henry 100; DuPage 90; La
Salle 100; Will 60; Adams 90;
Warren 80; Bond 20; Calhoun
15; Montgomery 30; DeWitt 50;
Logan 40; Menard 85; Froquois
60; Kankakee 80; Effingham 60;
Fayette 80; Lawrence 30; Marion
90; Jackson 80 and Union 40.

THIS RAILROAD MAN HAS SOME RECORD

CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—Fourteen
times around the earth, on time,
is the equivalent of Engineer C.
J. Barnett's record on the Illinois
Central, as recorded in the cur-
rent issue of the road's magazine.
He recently completed five
year's service, covering 343,100
miles, without being late.

His run is between Memphis
and Canton, Miss., 188 miles.

OBSERVE SIXTY-FIFTH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

EDWARDSVILLE, Ill., Dec. 17
—T. V. Whiteside and his wife
of Madison county, celebrated
their sixty-fifth wedding anniver-
sary recently. Mr. Whitesides is
eighty-nine years old and reads
without glasses and his wife is
eighty-two and active. The couple
are members of two of the coun-
ty's oldest families and had their
children celebrate the occasion
with them.

OCEAN TO OCEAN HIGHWAY MEETING

Springfield, Ill.—By A. P.—
State and national conventions of
the Pike's Peak Ocean to Ocean
Highway association will be held
in Springfield, Feb. 21 and 22, ac-
cording to announcement by J.
D. Clarkson, of St. Joseph, Mo.,
general manager of the highway.

CIRCULATION IS OF GREAT IMPORTANCE

Now Employs Many Men on Big
City Dailies — Circulation
Manager Must Know His Pa-
per.

CHICAGO—(By A. P.)—The
revolution which has passed over
the circulation of great metropol-
itan newspapers in the last quar-
ter century was pictured to stud-
ents of the Joseph Medill School
of Journalism at Northwestern
University here recently by Max
Annenberg, circulation manager
of the Chicago Tribune.

"In the circulation department
of a metropolitan daily you will
find today as many as six or seven
hundred employees," Mr. Annen-
berg said. "Twenty-five years
ago this department meant very
little. In the morning field there
was no delivery force nor any
large staff."

Mr. Annenberg pointed out an-
other revolution in the relations
of the circulation manager to the
editorial department. It is only
recently that his connection with
the news has been appreciated, he
said.

"The circulation manager is the
sales manager of the newspaper,"
Mr. Annenberg declared. "It is
his duty to sell the newspapers his
institution produces. For this
purpose he must have an intimate
knowledge of the kind of news-
paper merchandise the public
wants."

Still another great change is
that today's circulation manager
must know whether the circula-
tion he is producing is the kind
that will make his paper the most
valuable as an advertising med-
ium.

For all the great and compli-
cated business that of circulating
a great morning paper has grown
to be, with its alluring financial

reward, the majority of the cir-
culation managers of today have
come up from the ranks of news-
boys, Mr. Annenberg noted, and
he added:

"The man whose education has
been secured in the hard but ef-
ficient school of the corner news-
stand will probably continue to
superintend a successful newspaper
circulation for many years to
come."

CHINA'S WILD GAME IS DISAPPEARING

LONDON, Dec. 17.—China has
long enjoyed the reputation of
being one of the world's finest
game lands, especially as re-
gards pheasants, snipe and
wild fowl, but Arthur de C. Sow-
erby, well known here as a natu-
ralist and explorer, says that the
game of the country is being
wiped out to satisfy the demand
for this kind of food in Europe.

There are no adequate game
laws in force in China and the
export trade has been carried on
on such an intensive scale as to
have completely exterminated the
game reserves of the lower Yan-
tze valley as well as of large
stretches of Manchuria. Mr. Sow-
erby is now endeavoring to arouse
the Chinese government to pro-
tect the fine game preserves still
existing in the interior of the
country.

ARCHBISHOP MAY VISIT AUGUSTANA

MOBILE—By A. P.—Archbishop
Nathan Soderblom of Sweden
has been invited to come to Augustana
College to participate in festivi-
ties in November 1922 the in-
vitation having been extended by
the college and seminary board.

FIRST WOMAN LAWYER ENROLLED IN INDIA

ALLAHABAD, India, Dec. 17.
—Cornelia Sorabji, the first wo-
man enrolled as a barrister at the
high court of India, has begun
practice here.



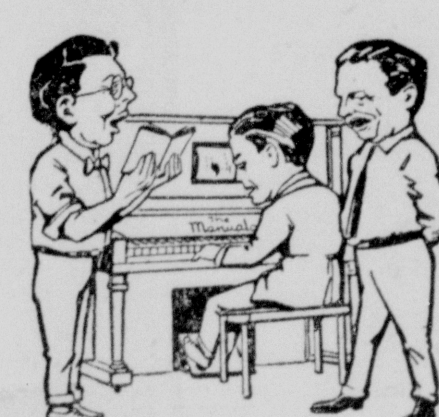
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come you.

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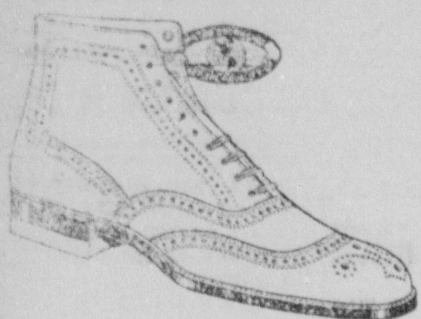
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yourself, perhaps Father, Son, or
Brother does—Why not come in
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FORMER RESIDENT OF WHITE HALL DEAD

Miss Sarah Conlee Dies in Kansas
City—Burial Will Be Made at
White Hall

White Hall, Dec. 16.—The remains of Miss Sarah Conlee, aged twenty-two years, will arrive from Kansas City early tomorrow, and funeral services will be held at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. F. M. Winters, on West Bridgeport street, at 2:30 p. m., conducted by Rev. J. O. Kirkpatrick, pastor of the M. E. church. The burial will be in the White Hall cemetery.

The deceased was the last of two daughters of Mrs. Amy Conlee, formerly of White Hall, both of whom developed into full womanhood, and both were telegraphers in the main office of the Western Union Telegraph Co. in Kansas City.

Miss Florence, the sister, was attacked with the disease that caused her death in June, 1920. Miss Sarah underwent an operation for a goitre in a hospital in Kansas City, succumbing to the operation early Thursday morning.

News Notes

Charles Ensminger and Daniel Hoffstrom, of Springfield, have leased the Weis bakery, and have begun operations of a wholesale bakery business in connection with the Weis store. Plans are being formulated for the installation of machinery to take care of the added business just as rapidly as the demand requires. Their products are on the market today.

Jefferson Burress went down in the country today in search of hard maple and pecan trees for bringing to town and delivering to customers for planting as memorial trees. An agitation in favor of the planting of nut-bearing trees for memorial purposes is sponsored by L. E. Culbertson, who finds a triple value in such a course. In the first, the trees, while serving a memorial purpose and as decorations, produce a food value that has a great value. In this connection he suggests black walnut, butternut, (white walnut) hickory, pecan, acorn and oak.

The Chicago Live Stock Exchange Notes

A gradual hardening of stock cattle values is in progress. The seasonal fall feast of light grass stock cattle is over. Killers, in conformity with custom, have become partial to fleshy native steers now that westerns are no longer available in considerable numbers. This puts up to the feeder the proposition to enter into competition on fleshy steers, weighing around or above 1,000 pounds, now selling at \$6.25 @ 6.50, which killers appear to be able to use at that figure. So far, feeders have not accepted this alternative, but the time is at hand when they will. It is probable that after the turn of the year a considerable number of warmed up steers will go back to the country, for a second trip over the corn route, in which event, killers will be limited in their selection to a fatter grade, thereby insuring a narrower spread and closer competition on fat grades.

Pasturemen with grass to tenant next spring will do well to take time by the forelock, picking up yearlings thru the winter as opportunity offers. Feed is so cheap and abundant in the country that many light cattle intended for summer grazing will get fat this side of the rise of grass and take the short route to the beef rail, especially if the fat cattle market picks up as the winter works along, so that a dearth of desirable thin yearlings next spring is inevitable.

Yearlings recently worth \$5.65 @ 5.85 have advanced to \$6.10 @ 6.40 and will grow scarce as spring approaches.

Ten weeks hence spring buying will be in full swing and by that time it is possible that a thin yearling with quality will cost as much as a fat one. This has happened before under conditions less likely to create such a trading basis than now. There may be enough beef to go around, as cheap corn usually insures a well-laden beef rail, but in the opinion of some of the wisest people in the trade the prospect for a dearth of good, light cattle about the time grass appears next spring is excellent. The pastoral region west of the Missouri river is confronted with a gigantic re-stocking proposition to which it will devote itself assiduously the moment the campaign can be financed, in fact the process is already under way.

Enormous consumption of hog products, fresh and cured, deserves at least passing attention. Eastern demand for hogs at Chicago is of unprecedented volume. Heretofore, a packing house strike has crippled the market, but on this occasion eastern demand developed to such an extent that not only was the adverse strike influence nullified, but prices actually advanced substantially. Last week shippers took 119,107 of the 186,896 hogs reaching Chicago, absorbing the largest percentage of the crop in trade history, and this week buying on the same account was renewed. While this demand is no doubt attributable in a large measure to broad consumption of pork in its various forms, it creates a suspicion that hog production in such states as Indiana, Ohio and Michigan has declined since the war; also that disease has decimated the pig crop seriously.

When slaughter conditions become normal a reaction will be

possible but packers are going in to the new year with light stocks, consequently they will be under the necessity of accumulating. Undoubtedly the strike has retarded the movement, so that a liberal January run will be local, hence it is not improbable that drove cost will react under a heavier movement, but the demonstration of buying lower last week and this should be convincing that low spot for the winter packing season was uncovered in November. It is evident that eastern killers cannot get the hogs they need around home and that distributors in that territory will be forced to buy either hogs or product at Chicago. Heretofore during October and November, Buffalo and Pittsburgh have dropped under a parity with Chicago, this year a shipping margin has existed, demonstrating that east of Chicago hog production has been either reduced or consumptive demand has attained a greater proportion than heretofore. Since cost of pork products dropped to a point where they ceased to be a luxury consumption at industrial centers has undoubtedly increased.

The last of the crop of big steers laid in at war prices and carried from six months to a year and in many cases longer, are going to the butcher. Heavy cattle are in better repute with buyers as they become scarce, but making them does not savor of economy and few will attempt repetition of that process. When bullocks weighing between 1,800 and 1,900 pounds, costing around \$12, when laid in, finally sell any where from \$7.65 to \$8.50 according to quality, as has been the case recently, demonstration of the uneconomical nature of the operation is superfluous. During the ensuing twelve months, bullocks weighing 1,400 to 1,500 pounds will be as scarce as they were plentiful all thru 1921; on the other hand feeders have laid in enough light cattle to test the theory that under changed beef trade conditions, killers can use few bullocks weighing over 1,000 pounds probably being that demand for light cattle will be given a severe test during the next six months.

The magnitude of Chicago live stock market operations is not generally comprehended. On Monday this week, the length of the trains unloaded, based on a 40-foot car average, was 23 miles, or 46 miles in and out. Fresh from the cars 126,524 animals were handled, weighing aggregated 134,911 head and shipments were 42,708 head, so that 304,143 head were handled and re-handled.

Wool markets continue strong. The recent burst of speculative buying energy has subsided, but manufacturers are on a hand-to-mouth basis, forcing them to come into the market to fill orders. Few wools are now selling below normal pre-war levels, fine wools fetching considerably more than in 1914. The anom-

aly of an advancing wool market despite a dull goods market is being witnessed, which merely demonstrates that the former has been abnormally low. London sales closed firm and Australian markets are buoyant. The tariff situation is still muddled but the emergency tariff is proving an effective barrier to importation. There has been a free trade this week at Chicago with 3-8 blood around 27 cents. The present prospect is that by the time the 1922 clip is ready to leave the sheeps' backs stocks will be well cleaned up.

Hide trade is quiet, but firm. Packers are well sold up, enabling them to stand pat for higher prices. Buyers are balking at further advances. Heavy native steers are quoted at 16 1-2 @ 17c; heavy Texas steers, 16 @ 16 1-2c; light native cows, 13 1-2 @ 14c. The present situation amounts to a deadlock between dealers and tanners, the latter claiming inability to make leather at a profit. Shoe factories are closed down for inventories, restricting further demand for leather.

Horse trade is showing activity. Eastern dealers were in the Chicago market for drafters, pairs selling at \$400. @ 450, and individuals up to \$325. It was easier to move chunks selling at \$100 to \$165. The trade expects early development of farm business and a possibility exists that improvement in foreign exchange may revive export demand.

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Bead Stringing
Modeling Clay
Puzzle Pictures
Tinker Toys
Tiddley Winks
Jack Straws
Dominoes
Aer-o-play Blocks
Doll Furniture
Rook, Bunco etc.
Toy Violins
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WHITE HALL MAN OBSERVES BIRTHDAY

Wesley C. Chapin Passes 84th
Milestone — Fire Department
Makes Two Runs.

White Hall, Dec. 16.—Wesley C. Chapin attained his 84th birthday anniversary on Thursday. He came to White Hall with his wife from Livingston county, New York, in 1864, and it would be impossible to even survey in a surface way the vast works such a mind and character has performed in the community in which he has resided continuously for nearly sixty years. He has been a public-spirited man in a substantial way, and has served in public office in various capacities, such as township supervisor for eight years and police magistrate. Mrs. Chapin died January 12th, 1922, and he makes his home with daughter, Mrs. H. E. Bell. Were it not for failing eyesight he would yet retain his physical vigor. Mentally he is sound. He has voted for every president since 1860, excepting Wilson, his ballot for Hughes being his only vote for an unsuccessful presidential candidate. He is highly regarded in all circles of the community, and there was general interest in his anniversary, although observed in his usual routine about home, the weather not being favorable for him being down town.

The fire department had two calls this week. One was to the residence of Dr. H. H. Seeley on West Franklin street and the other to the residence of Fred Berthelt on Maple Heights. The latter blaze did considerable damage to the roof.

The basement of the Ruckel building is being put in condition for occupancy by Dyer's restaurant, which is to vacate in favor of the local office of the C. I. P. S. Co. The basement location is the first in White Hall to be devoted to a restaurant business, and it will prove a good move on the part of Mr. Dyer.

R. C. Barton's new residence on North Main street is now enclosed. Architect Will is exhibiting plans for the ornamental corner piece on the site of the station of the Community Gas, the work on which is well along toward the finishing stages, and it will be one of the most attractive spots in the county.

FINGER PRINT EXPERTS TO MEET
Peoria, Ill.—By the A. P.—Finger print experts for personal identification will hold their annual convention in this city Dec. 16 and 17. A public demonstration of the latest methods of finger identification will be held.

EASTERN STAR OF MURRAYVILLE MET

Miss Mildred Wright Elected
Worthy Matron — Other Mur-
rayville News

Murrayville, Dec. 16.—The Eastern Star met Friday evening and elected the following officers for the ensuing term:

Worthy Matron—Miss Mildred Wright.
Worthy Patron—Harry Cade.
Associate matron—Mrs. Jennie Clark.
Conductress—Mrs. Mae Cade.
Associate conductress—Mrs. Lydia White.
Secretary—Mrs. Ruth Robinson.
Treasurer—Miss Mary Clark.

News Notes
Vernon Baker was a business visitor in St. Louis Tuesday.

Mrs. Charles Sooy is recovering from her recent illness of double pneumonia. Her daughter-in-law Mrs. Elmer Sooy, who has been with her, has returned to her home in Manchester.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles West and sons, Lloyd, Clyde and Eugene, of Jacksonville, Mrs. Anna McCarty, of Manchester and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Cade were guests at dinner Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cade.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Millard and family, and Miss Vivian Carlson, were Springfield shoppers Thursday.

The Ladies' Aid society sent a miscellaneous Christmas box to Chaddock boys' school at Quincy Monday.

Warren Wright was a business visitor in White Hall Thursday. Mrs. Hester Greenwalt of Manchester spent several days this week with Mrs. T. G. Beadles and family.

Mrs. H. B. Rimbey visited relatives in Jacksonville Wednesday and Thursday.

Covey Thurston had the misfortune to injure his right arm Thursday while cranking his car.

Harry Cade was a business visitor in Springfield Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Osborne, of south Jacksonville, and Mrs. Cal Hart were visitors Wednesday at the home of Mr. Osborne's sister, Mrs. Mary Blakem and family.

Mrs. Percy Devore and little daughter Bobby Jean, of Woodson, spent Wednesday night and Thursday with her aunt, Mrs. Edwin Cade.

The Rebekah lodge met Tuesday evening in regular session and held their semi-annual election.

The following officers were elected:
Noble grand—Mrs. Fred Still.
Vice grand—Mrs. T. G. Beadles.
Recording secretary—Mrs. Charles Still.
Financial secretary—Miss Mildred Wright.

Treasurer—Mrs. Edith Millard.
Deputy—Mrs. Arthur Seymour.
Staff captain—S. F. Sooy.
C. R. Short and family moved to Jacksonville Thursday and Dr. and Mrs. D. H. Golliday have moved to the house vacated by them.

MARKHAM.
The G. T. S. club met this week with Miss Mary Wolfe, a very interesting paper on "Christmas" being read by Mrs. Ross Long. Plans were made for the annual all-day meeting, which will be held Dec. 28, with Mrs. S. P. Cleary, at the Maples.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Stout and Mr. and Mrs. Will Stout, of Chapin, spent one day this week with Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Stout.

Miss Bernice Hynes returned from the hospital, Wednesday, very much improved.

Mrs. Rachel Peters shows some improvement over her condition last week.

Fred Killam and family have moved to Jacksonville for the winter, and have rooms with Mr. and Mrs. John Clary, on West North street.

The Liberty Ladies' Aid held an oyster supper and carnival at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Scott, Thursday evening.

It was a grand success, both financially and socially and well deserving of the liberal patronage it received.

WOULD TEACH THEM THE CONSTITUTION

Bloomington.—By the A. P.—"Were I a member of the board of education and were it possible to do so, I would require every boy and girl before leaving the grade school to commit to memory the constitution of the United States," said Judge Louis FitzHenry at a joint meeting of the Rotary and Lions club here.

Ogars, none better, 5 and 10c.

GREENFIELD

J. P. Kahn and family spent several days last week at Warrenton, Mo., with Mr. and Mrs. George Wahl.

Several members of the K. of P. lodges from White Hall and Roodhouse, came to Greenfield last Thursday evening and assisted the local lodge in some degree work.

Charles Rousey, Richard Wood and John Hull, of Murrayville, were business visitors in Greenfield Monday.

A stock of army goods are in Greenfield. Last week, part of them were auctioned off and a salesman is here this week, retelling the balance.

Miss Sophronia Piper had the misfortune to fall Saturday evening and dislocate her shoulder.

Rev. J. W. Armstrong, pastor of the M. E. church, attended a ministerial meeting at Peoria, on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Grover Thaxton and family, of Palmyra, spent Saturday with Mrs. Thaxton's sister, Mrs. Luke Waltrip, and Sunday with Mr. Thaxton's brother, Kirk Thaxton.

Business men and residents near the square were quite excited Saturday afternoon when fire was discovered in the living rooms of J. M. Goebelt, over his restaurant. Most of the household goods were badly damaged by fire and water. Some damage was done to the stock of goods in the restaurant and the drug store just east, by water.

Miss Lula Hubbard held a very successful pie social at Pleasant Hill school last Wednesday evening. The proceeds amounted to about twenty dollars.

Mr. and Mrs. William Tucker, of Carrollton, spent Tuesday with their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Lurten Tucker.

Mrs. J. N. Winters, of White Hall, spent several days last week with Mrs. C. R. Sheffield.

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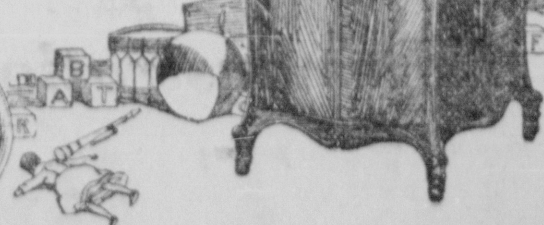
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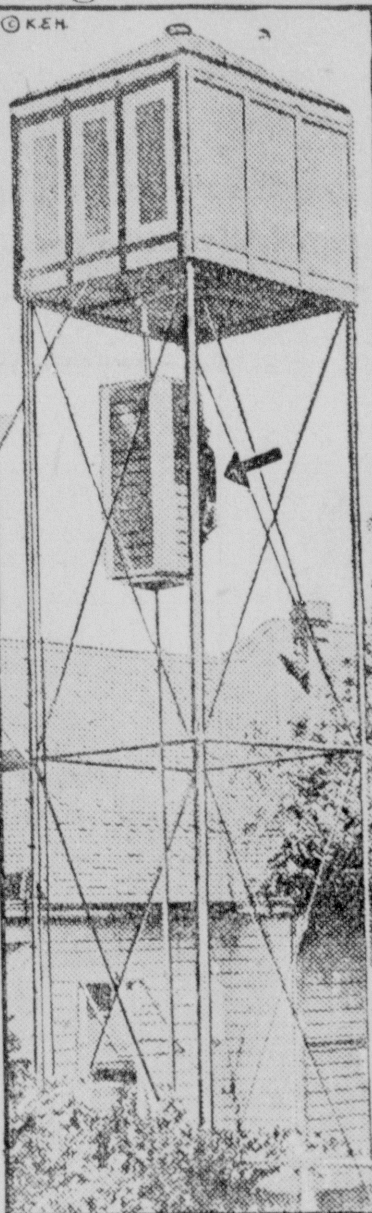
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BANKERS FIGHT THEORIST IDEA

Look With Disfavor on Plan to Stabilize Value of English Pound.

LONDON—(By A. P.)—Suggestions advanced by certain economic theorists to stabilize the value of the English pound at, say 15 shillings gold, thereby reducing the American exchange from \$4.86 to a new parity of \$3.65 to the pound and creating a gold premium of 33 per cent, do not meet with the approval of practical British bankers.

Sir Charles Addis, president of the Institute of Bankers, in an inaugural address to that body, made a strong plea for continued efforts to restore the gold standard.

He said that a return to pre-war parity could not be accomplished unless new and unexpected inflation should take place in America without a considerable amount of further deflation in Great Britain.

Devaluation proposals, he declared, were premature, inopportune and inexpedient. He refused to believe that the British people "could be induced to trample on their monetary past and to relinquish the dearly purchased gold standard, which they believed to be bound up with the prestige of their national credit and their supremacy in international finance."

Sir Felix Schuster, another prominent banker, observed that in the last two years Britain had repaid \$200,000,000 of foreign debts, \$100,000,000 of which were paid to America. He thought that the question of repaying the balance due to America, if the period of repayment were spread over 30, 40 or 50 years, could be faced with courage. If Britain showed its firm determination to get back to the old gold standard, he said, confidence would return with an unshaken belief of the whole world in the pound sterling.

The Financial News, in an editorial, compares the process of devaluation to Mark Twain's cigar limit, which he never exceeded, meeting all temptations to do so by the simple expedient of raising the limit.

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COOK COUNTY LEADS IN CABBAGE GROWING
Springfield, Ill.—(By A. P.)—More cabbage! That is this year's record among the counties of Illinois for the county of Cook. Chicago with its vast expanse of crowded city blocks precludes in most minds any concept of that other considerable part of Cook county is given to agriculture.

Yet those country acres have set several agricultural records in Illinois. This year, according to figures compiled by S. D. Fessenden, U. S. Agricultural statistician for Illinois, Cook county farm lands yielded a greater average acre production of cabbages than any other county in the state.

The average for the entire state was 3.6 tons, for the county, outside of Chicago, raised an average of 11.5 tons. Nearest to Cook county were Henderson and Ford counties which produced cabbage at an average of 5 tons an acre.

SAYS DEATHS WILL REACH 35,000,000

Maxim Gorky Believes That Many Will Die in Russia From Famine.

STOCKHOLM—(By A. P.)—Maxim Gorky, Russian novelist and formerly head of the Russian Relief commission, told The Associated Press correspondent when he passed thru this city on his way to Berlin that he believed the deaths from starvation in Russia would aggregate 35,000,000.

He heartily praised the support which the American people were giving to the starving people of Russia but said the only way out of the serious situation would be thru the establishment of international relief founded on the American plan, broad, efficient, complete and well controlled.

He doubted, however, whether the necessary relief would arrive in time to avert disaster.

He expressed the opinion that Mr. Hoover's relief was somewhat imperfect and lacked organization, because sufficient safeguards were not taken to prevent the stealing of the food by gangs or Soviet officials, from the time the commodities arrived in Petrograd until they are consumed.

M. Gorky said Mr. Hoover had placed too much confidence in the Soviet.

He deplored the passivity of France and excused Germany for not coming to the support of Russia. Sweden's contribution to the famine he thought was but the drop in the ocean.

On the question of Russian interior politics, Gorky said "unrest is as common as dinner is here, but nobody takes any notice. Quite recently there was a fierce riot in Petrograd which was only quelled after much bloodshed."

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MEXICAN LABOR CONGRESS RADICAL

Mexico, City—(By A. P.)—The First International American Labor Congress with avowed radical tendencies will be held in Mexico City next May 1, according to an announcement by Rafael Quintero, Peter Svonich, continental diplomatic representatives of Soviet Russia in America, is now in Mexico City making preliminary arrangements for the convention.

GERMANY HAS FEW UNEMPLOYED

Cologne—(By A. P.)—Germany at the present time has fewer unemployed than any period within the last 14 years, according to labor officials. In the mining industry, the building trade and the chemical industry the number of vacancies exceeds that of the unemployed. The total number of persons unemployed on October 1 was 133,407.

Germany's export business is booming for the present, due partly to the low rate of exchange of the mark, and in many parts of the country factories are said to be working overtime.

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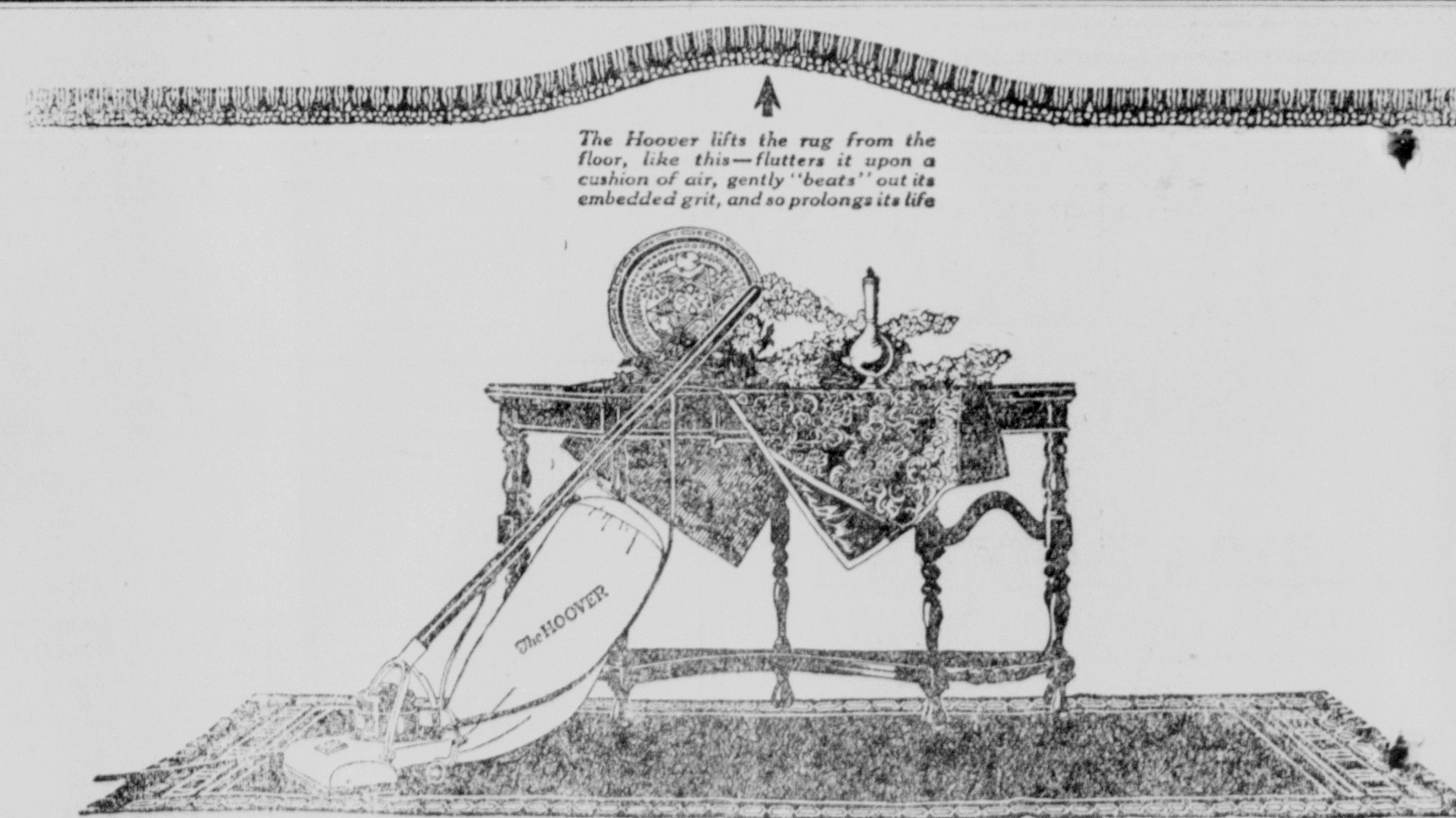
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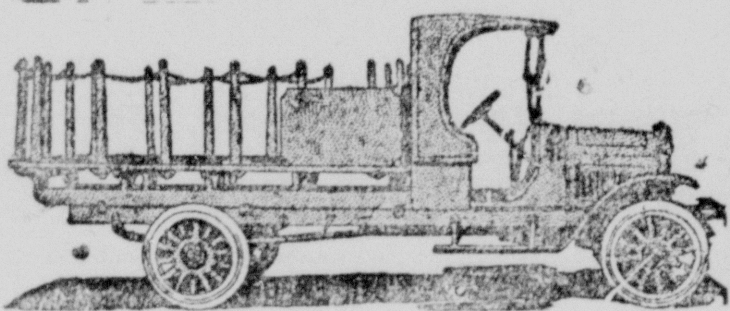
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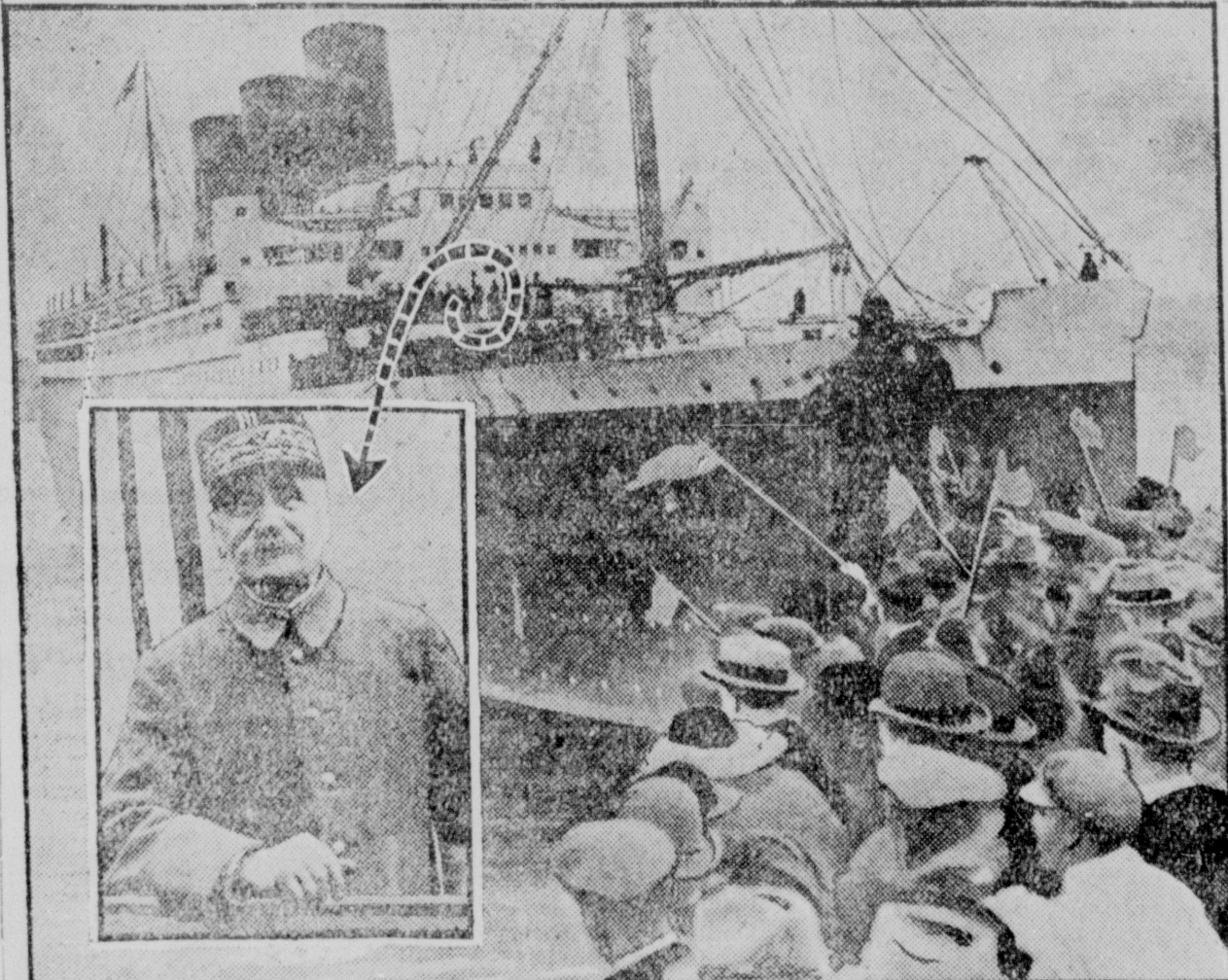
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EXPLAINS ILLINOIS' STOCK SHOW SUCCESS

Consistent Effort in Breeding Leads to Winning of Many Prizes—University Makes Excellent Showing.

URBANA, Ill.—By The Associated Press.—Explanation of Illi-

nois' remarkable showing at the International Live Stock Exposition held in Chicago recently is thus given by Prof. W. H. Smith of the animal husbandry department at the University of Illinois. "Consistent effort to improve their stock year after year and to present them in the best possible condition accounts for the progress that is being made by Illinois stock men."

Prof. Smith adds facts about Illinois accomplishments: "Illinois live stock exhibitors were winners in every department of the International exposition. The grand champion carload lot of fat steers in competition with entries from all sections of the country came from an Illinois feed lot. The blue ribbon yearlings from the corn belt district as well as the two year olds from the southwestern district were fattened in Illinois paddocks."

"The University of Illinois with an exhibit of live stock, beef cattle and hogs which were bred and developed on the university farm and used for class and experimental work made an excellent showing."

"The grand champion pen of three barrows was won by the university on a pen of Poland-Chinas eighteen months of age. These barrows with their two pen mates won \$531.10 in premiums. A creditable display of sheep was also exhibited which won a total of 28 premiums in the open and special classes of the show."

DECREASE IN DEATHS BY ACCIDENT

St. Louis—(By A. P.)—A decrease of 131 in fatal accidents in St. Louis for the first ten months of 1921 as compared with 1920 is shown in a report by Carl I. Smith, secretary-manager of the St. Louis Safety Council.

From motor vehicles there were 53 deaths for the 1920 period as compared with 79 for this year, the decrease in spite of an increase of several thousand automobiles.

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OBREGON IS NOW EDITORIAL WRITER

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 17.—"Alvaro Obregon" has become a regular editorial writer for the four Spanish language morning newspapers here and his articles on timely topics have attracted much attention throughout the republic. The Mexican president chose, as his first subject, "The Freedom of the Press," suggested by the lively controversy several newspapers are having with Sub-Secretary of the Interior Lugo, who made some threatening remarks against the editor of El Universal following his sharp criticism of the government.

President Obregon gave every assurance in his editorial that freedom of speech and press will be maintained in Mexico through his administration.

Several days later, "Alvaro Obregon" furnished another editorial in which he attacked promiscuous syndicalism, asserting that this form of solidarity is too often blind following by the masses of a course with which they are not entirely familiar. The president of Mexico in no sense criticized unions.

It is understood that President Obregon is preparing a series of editorials which will be submitted for publication at intervals.

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WILL MEET IN TRIANGULAR DEBATE

Monmouth.—By The Associated Press.—Debates of Monmouth College of this city, Illinois College of Jacksonville and Augustana College of Moline will meet in a triangular debate in the three cities March 17. They will argue over the resolution that "the system of the closed shop is justifiable."

MAJOR ROSENFELD HEADS LEGION POST

Rock Island.—By A. P.—Major Walter A. Rosenfeld has been elected commander of Rock Island Post, No. 200, of the American Legion. His administration will have charge of the entertainment of former soldiers from Illinois when the state convention is held here in 1922.

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CHARD TREES ARE TOO CLOSE TOGETHER

Cultural Expert Says Trees Too Planted Too Close to Yield Maximum Yields.

RBANA, Ill.—By The Associated Press.—More than three-quarters of the trees in Illinois orchards are planted too close together, according to W. F. Eck, assistant professor of horticulture, at the state university here. For this reason Professor Brock declares "it is impossible to obtain maximum yields." The rule requiring correct spacing is "most often violated in planting of apples and those in which require a relatively time in which to develop. It is quite common to find orchards planted so close that the root systems are struggling against each other before

the trees have come into full bearing. The result is decreased vitality. "A ten year old peach orchard and a thirty year old apple orchard will have produced as much fruit properly planted as will one in which the number of trees was multiplied by two as is frequently the case. Standard apple trees should not stand closer than 33 feet each way and 35 feet would be better.

"Peach trees are frequently planted 22 by 25, which is the minimum recommended." Prof. Brock also would discourage interplanting rows of apple trees with peaches, plums or cherries. Illinois conditions, he believes are not suitable for each interplanting.

CLOSING OUT SALE
Tuesday, Dec. 20th, J. Marvin Thompson will hold a closing out sale two and one half miles north and one half mile west of Alexander starting at 10:30 sharp. Horses, cattle, farm implements and furniture. Terms, nine months with approved security.

RAILROAD MEN HAVE CANDIDATE
ROODHOUSE.—By the A. P.—Employees of the Chicago and Alton railroad here have started a campaign on behalf of T. E. Shuman, chairman of the Order of Railway Conductors, for nomination for congress from the 20th Illinois district, now represented by Guy L. Shaw, of Boardstown. "It is time congress had a conductor," is the campaign slogan.

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INFANT MORTALITY INCREASES IN GERMANY

Civic Federations Build Colonies of Cement Houses in Suburbs

BERLIN, Dec. 17.—Infant mortality, which is increasing throughout Germany, principally in cities, has impelled a widespread movement by civic welfare associations and mothers' leagues to alleviate living conditions by securing municipal or co-operative construction of small dwellings in the suburbs. "Colonies" of cement houses, rapidly built by use of moulds, have appeared by thousands in the last few months, the occupants being assured of abundance of light and air.

While German has, properly speaking, no such thing as "slums," the slowing up of construction during the war, produced insanitary and crowded conditions among the poorer classes. Half a million homes are required to relieve the congestion in Berlin, and reports from Hamburg say there are 1,000 families, with an average of six children to the family, living in one-room apartments. Sanitary inspectors in a number of cities report as many as ten persons living in a single room "being born, living, eating sleeping and dying, in a space which only two persons could healthfully inhabit."

The mortality among children in these crowded centers has been found to be vastly higher than with the children of peasants, who have the advantage of space for playground, open air, and sunlight. Meanwhile, a disinclination to increase the size of apartment buildings is evident among the promoters of the "healthier children movement."

It is pointed out that adjacent to every German city there are large tracts of untitled lands which ought to be donated to charity by the owners, many of whom are non-resident or rich, and who hold the lands for speculative purposes.

PLANS FOR FIRST AMERICAN SCHOOL

SHANGHAI, China, Dec. 17.—Plans for the first units of an American school that is to be built in Shanghai, are in the hands of architects and building work is to be started on a site that has been acquired, in coming months. This has been made possible as the result of a campaign for funds that was made in the international settlement in October and by which approximately 140,000 taels were raised.

What has been known as the American school of Shanghai is an institution that was started some ten years ago by several missionary families. In the same period that it has been in operation this school has kept pace with the swift growth of the American community in Shanghai and in recent years has been inadequately housed in a group of dwellings. In the school year that recently began the enrollment touched the record mark of 234 pupils. The new school will be the outcome of the efforts of public-spirited American residents and it is to be governed by a board of trustees representing both missionary and commercial interests.

CHINA'S EXPORTS TO U. S. ARE LARGE

SHANGHAI, China, Dec. 17.—China's exports to the United States from Shanghai within the quarter year that ended September 30, reached a total of \$12,709,797 in gold and for the first three quarters of the year, \$49,907,782 in gold. The figures are given in a report that has been issued at the American consulate in Shanghai.

A noteworthy item of the report shows that in the three months' period ending in September, gold bars worth \$2,499,374 were sent to America and the value of gold bars exported in the nine months' period, runs to \$16,646,059. In addition to the gold shipments, gold coins to the value of \$841,965 were exported the first three quarters of the year.

Silk exports lead the list of ordinary commercial shipments as raw silk to the value of \$5,165,678 was exported in the last quarter of the period and to the value of \$17,043,703 in the nine months' period.

WILL REVISE TARIFF CUSTOMS IN RUSSIA

MOSCOW, Dec. 17.—A special commission has been created for the purpose of revising the customs tariffs of the old government, in furtherance of the project permitting individuals and corporations to export and import with the approval of the commissariat for foreign trade. Orders have been issued that the revision of tariffs applying to European Russia shall be completed by December, and those for Asiatic Russia a month later. The government is resolutely refusing to permit foreigners to reclaim furniture, office equipment or other property owned by them, when the Bolsheviks took over power.

AMERICAN CHOP SUEY NOW SOLD IN COBLENZ

COBLENZ, Dec. 17.—American "chop suey" has been introduced to the Rhinelanders—and they like it!

The chop suey idea was conceived by an American soldier—Walter E. Smith, who opened a shop when his enlistment expired after fifteen years in the army. Germans didn't pay much attention to the little cafe at first, but curiosity got the best of them at last and finally they began patronizing the place, and the food, served with Chinese trimmings, is quite popular now with the native men and women.

PREMIER FORMERLY ATTENDED CHICAGO U.

Chicago.—By A. P.—W. L. MacKenzie King, who becomes premier of Canada probably next week, spent a full college year at the University of Chicago just 25 years ago, reports Prof. Edgar J. Goodspeed. He did not, however, take a degree at the university, as has been said.

Political economy and sociology were the subjects the now head of Canada's government pursued at Chicago. He studied with Prof. Charles R. Henderson and Prof. T. V. Veblen.

He was a fellow in political economy in 1896-7.

ROCKFORD FINDS OLD ORDINANCE

Rockford.—By The A. P.—Foreign-born citizens, to the exclusion of all others, until recently were the only persons legally

qualified to operate drays or motor busses in the city of Rockford. Discovery of this queer old ordinance in a council meeting led to search for the reason for the law. It was found that it was aimed against foreigners who came to this country without intention of becoming naturalized. The ordinance was amended to remove the restriction.

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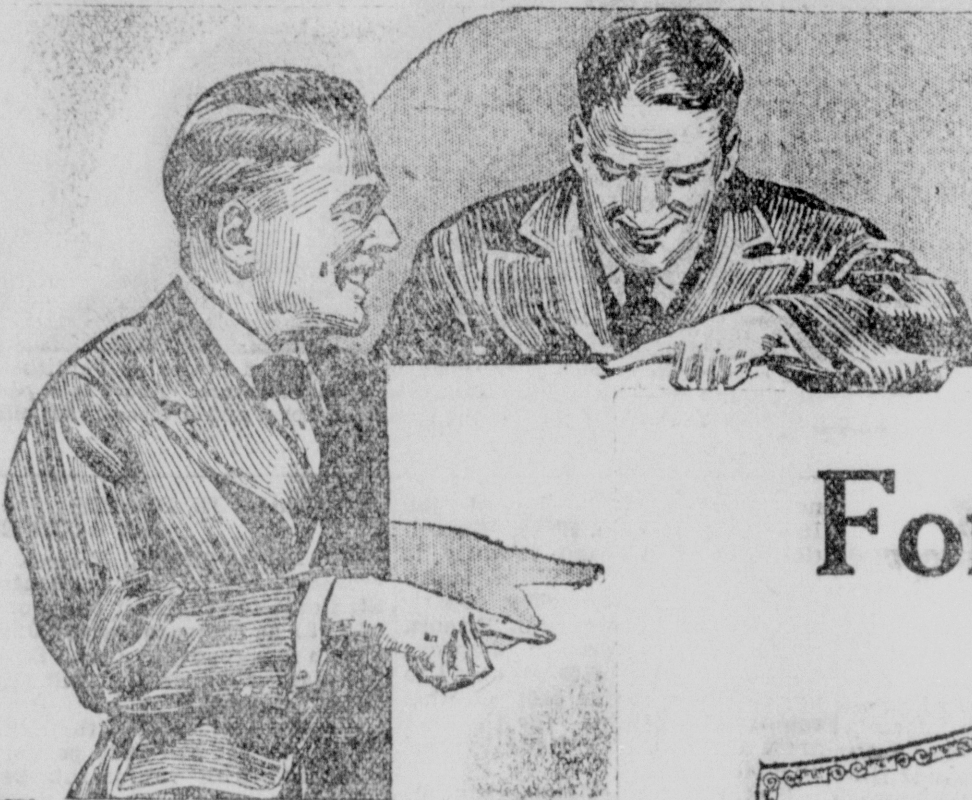
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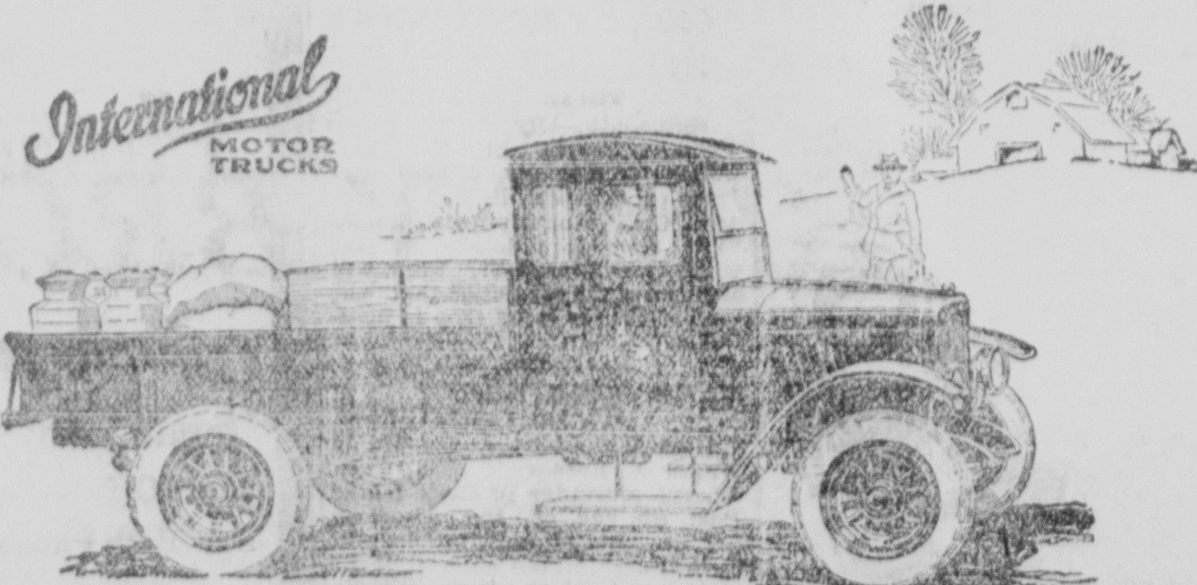
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We carry a full line of accessories and supplies, alcohol, oils, greases, and are prepared to give you prompt, satisfactory service. We shall appreciate a call.

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COURT WILL RULE IN FUNKHOUSER CASE

High Tribunal Expected to Hand Down Decision on Legality of Ouster of Funkhouser By Chicago Civil Service Commission.

Springfield, Ill.—By the A. P.—The Illinois supreme court will probably rule this month on the legality of the Chicago civil service commission's ouster of Mayor M. L. C. Funkhouser as second deputy superintendent of police more than three years ago. Funkhouser suspended in May, 1918, and discharged the next month, went before the supreme court with the claim that he was deposed without a fair hearing by arbitrary exercise of power on the part of the commission.

He contended the commission exceeded its authority under the civil service laws and had behind it the doctrine that "the king can do wrong."

"The civil service laws in the hands of a venal administration becomes a mere cloak for debauchery of the public service," it was held in his arguments before the court.

Funkhouser was ousted by a commission composed of Percy B. Cofin, now chairman of the state tax commission, Alex J. Johnson, now state commerce commissioner and Joseph P. Geary.

Assistants from Corporation Counsel Etlleson's office assisted the commission in the ouster proceedings. Funkhouser said adding that Commissioners Geary and Johnson were frequently absent during the hearings.

Funkhouser was appointed second deputy in March, 1918, and operated Chicago's "morals squad" during his regime.

EVERYTHING points to a big sale of candy packages this year, as you can buy a nice package at MERRIGAN'S for a small amount, and then when you send a package of Whitman's that has the reputation behind it, it reflects good taste of the sender.

WILL COOPERATE WITH LOAN AGENCY

Chicago.—By the A. P.—To cooperate with the Illinois Agricultural Loan Agency, a committee of bankers has been named by the Illinois Agricultural Association at the request of Eugene Meyer, Jr., managing director of the War Finance Corporation. It is announced at state association headquarters here.

The committee consists of S. E. Bradt, DeKalb, chairman; A. M. Kenney, Decatur, Charles H. Ireland, Washburn; B. H. Pinnell, Kansas and Harry J. Cooper, Aurora.

Bankers in each Illinois county are being questioned by the committee regarding farm financial conditions in their locality. These questions are being asked of the bankers.

"In your judgment is there need in your county for additional funds to assist in financing the farmers? That is, has your institution been able to supply all of the funds needed to your farmer customers and is there any evidence from applications for loans received by your bank that the other outlying banks of your county have been unable to furnish the required funds?"

"Are there any banks in your county which, in your judgment, would be willing to avail themselves of the funds provided thru the War Finance corporation?"

LOT FOR SALE on Mound Ave, size 50x256. Piped for gas, water and sewer. Easy terms. See H. J. SMITH South Side Square

TEACHING WOMEN EMPLOYEES TO SHOOT

Detroit, Mich.—By A. P.—Believing that "The female of the species is more deadly than the male" in the use of firearms as well as other weapons, Postmaster William J. Nagel of Detroit has set out to prove comic writers and comic artists are wrong when they imply a woman invariably closes her eyes when she shoots a rifle or revolver.

As part of the campaign to eliminate post office robberies the postmaster has ordered 50 women employees of his office to take up target practice. In the few lessons that have been held the girls and women have shown equal, if not greater aptitude than the men, according to Mr. Nagel.

The first time the women's squad engaged in practice but three of the 50 closed their eyes when they discharged their weapons.

The prize winning girl in target practice so far is Miss Carrie Thick, 21 years old, who weighs less than 100 pounds. She made a score of 54 out of a possible 60 shots. Upon her first appearance she was obliged to use both hands to lift the .45 revolver used in practice.

Daily classes for postal women, at which the use and care of firearms is being taught, are held here.

MANY DEFECTIVE BUILDINGS FOUND

Moline.—By the A. P.—Defects in nearly 700 buildings liable to result in fire were detected and ordered corrected by Deputy State Fire Marshal Charles Mattson in a fire survey from Nov. 4 to Nov. 9. Forty-three old buildings were ordered removed or repaired to conform to city ordinances.

Gears can be purchased at all dealers.

PLAN WINTER TRAINING STUNTS

American Forces in Germany Will Have at Least Three Hours Daily of Military Exercises.

COBLENZ.—By the Associated Press.—Winter training plans for the American Forces in Germany as announced recently at army headquarters in Coblenz call for at least three hours daily military

exercises for officers and men in addition to the opening of schools for instruction.

Training will consist of drills, marches, tactical walks and rides, terrain exercises, map problems, lectures, conferences and schools for officers, non-commissioned officers and selected enlisted men.

One course of instruction is in a school of languages for the study of either French or German.

It is not an uncommon sight in Coblenz to see majors and col-

onels and generals, too sometimes with school books in their hands, when going to and from billets to their offices. Many an American, who reached the Rhine without two or three words of German, has learned enough "to get by" as they say over here, while others, particularly those of German descent, now speak the language fluently.

The training program, which is to continue until March 31 next includes chemical warfare service

designed to teach proficiency in the use of gas masks and in giving gas alarms.

GREATER CLEVELAND NEARS MILLION MARK

Cleveland, O.—(By A. P.)—The population of Greater Cleveland 955,751, according to a census taken for the Cleveland city directory, which is just off the press. The population of the city proper is placed at 267,492. The Smith family leads. There

are 3,060 listed. The Browns are represented with 1,530 and there are 1,395 Jones'.

Women who are employed are listed in the book for the first time. Names of housewives are not given.

EXTRA SPECIAL
20c today will buy 1 pound of pure sugar homemade candy at MERRIGAN'S

WILL ESTABLISH COMMISSARY

East Moline.—By A. P.—East Moline hopes to establish a commissary to relieve its worthy poor. A campaign for funds will be launched immediately.

TO DEDICATE NEW ADDITION
East Moline.—The recently completed manual arts addition to the East Moline township high school will be dedicated next month.

LISTEN

In order to start you buying right for Christmas, we will sell today our own make of chocolates at 49c the lb., put up in attractive boxes. This is a big value. Buy as many of them as you like as they will make a real gift for Christmas.

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Not every person realizes that this store, particularly at this season of the year, is one of the largest and most comprehensive gift centers in Central Illinois. Some persons yet think that a hardware store handles only things in the building line or articles of actual necessity about the home or every day affairs. But such is not the case—not with this hardware store. True, you will find here the articles of actual necessity about the home, and finely appreciated gifts they make, too, but

our really and truly gift line will prove a day's wonder to the uninitiated—toys for the children, to articles in silver for the grown-ups, and the world's greatest musical instrument—The Edison—for every member of the family.

Make up your suggested gift list from the items listed below and make us a visit. It will be a positive pleasure to show you the desired items, or any of the many other suitable gift items that we cannot name here.

FOR THE FAMILY
Edison Phonographs.....\$41.00 to \$295.00
Edison Records.....\$1.35, \$1.85 and \$2.25

FOR THE HUNTER
Air Rifles.....\$1.35 to \$5.00
22 caliber Rifles.....\$10.00 to \$31.50
Shotguns.....\$14.30 to \$70.00
Revolvers and Pistols.....\$10.00 to \$25.00
Hunting Coats.....\$6.35 to \$10.50
Shell Vests.....\$2.50 to \$4.15
Waterproof Hunting Hats and Caps.....\$1.95
Gun Cases.....\$1.50 to \$5.00
Hunters Waterproof Lace Boots.....\$9.75
Air Rifle Shot and Ammunition of all Kinds

FOR OUTDOOR SPORTS
Winchester Boys Skates.....\$1.50
Winchester Girls Skates.....\$2.25
Winchester Boys Nickel Hockey Skates.....\$3.50
Cattaraugus Pocket Knives.....25c to \$3.50
Reach Basket Balls.....\$5.00 to \$15.00
Reach Volley Balls.....\$3.00 to \$7.00
Reach Foot Balls.....\$2.00 to \$10.00
Reach Golf Clubs.....\$3.50 to \$7.00
Reach Golf Balls.....60c to \$1.00
Reach Golf Bags.....\$2.50 to \$15.00
Reach Boxing Gloves.....\$5.00 to \$12.00
Reach Striking Bags.....\$3.00 to \$8.00
Reach Tennis Rackets.....\$1.50 to \$12.00
Reach Tennis Balls.....65c

MISCELLANEOUS
Franco Flashlights.....\$1.00 to \$5.00
Atkins Hand Saws.....\$2.00 to \$6.00
Winchester Hammers.....\$1.00 to \$1.80
Stanley Hammers.....\$1.60 to \$1.80
Meridan Stainless Steel Carving Sets.....\$6.00
Meridan Bird Sets.....\$2.50 to \$4.50
Parker Fountain Pens.....\$2.50 to \$5.00
Eversharp Pencils.....50c to \$3.50
J. Weiss & Sons, shears and scissors.....50c to \$2.50
AutoStrop Razors.....\$5.00 to \$7.50
Gillette Razors.....\$5.00
Genco Razors.....\$2.50 to \$5.00
Tycos Thermometers.....15c to \$3.50

Cow Hide Traveling Bags.....\$4.50 to \$5.50
Krauter Pliers.....75c to \$2.50
S. L. & Geo. H. Rogers Silver Plated Knives and Forks.....\$3.75 to \$6.75
Coleman Lamps.....\$9.00 to \$10.00
Icy Hot Bottles.....\$2.50 to \$6.00
Manicure Sets.....\$1.50 to \$6.00
Socket Wrench Sets.....\$2.50 to \$16.00
Ingersoll Watches.....\$1.75 to \$7.50
Westlock Watches.....\$1.75 to \$2.75
Auto Spark Plugs.....50c to \$1.25
Stanley Planes.....\$3.00 to \$10.00

TOYS! TOYS!
Tinker Toys.....Sandy Andy Toys
Mechanical Trains.....\$1.35 to \$2.75
Meccano Sets.....\$1.50 to \$6.00

Transformers.....\$2.00

FOR MOTHER OR SISTER
Complete line of Wear Ever Aluminum Wear at prices ranging from.....25c to \$5.00
Aluminum Roasters.....98c to \$8.20
Aluminum Tea Kettles.....\$4.00 to \$7.00
Aluminum Double Boilers.....\$2.00 to \$3.95
Aluminum Fry Pans and Skillets.....\$1.10 to \$4.00
Complete Line of Pyrex Oven Ware.....25c to \$6.00
Pyrex Casseroles.....\$1.75 to \$5.00
Carpet Sweepers.....\$4.00 to \$10.00

ELECTRIC APPLIANCES
Vacuum Sweepers.....\$9.00 to \$64.00
Coffee Percolators.....\$2.00 to \$10.00
Chafing Dishes.....\$8.00 to \$22.95
Serving Dishes.....\$3.50 to \$5.75
Steel Roasters.....30c to \$2.75
Enameled Roasters.....\$3.25 to \$6.85
Electric Toasters and Grills.....\$4.50 to \$12.00
Electric Percolators and Coffee Urns.....\$10. to \$24.85
Electric Immersion Heaters.....\$5.25
Electric Heating Pads.....\$10.75
Electric Sad Irons.....\$4.50 to \$6.95
Fancy Gold Decorated Tea Pots, \$1.50 value for 98c
Nickel Plated Copper, Tea, Coffee Pots \$1.35 to \$4.40

Nickel Plated Copper Tea Kettles.....\$1.50 to \$2.50
Fireless Cookers.....\$18.00 to \$40.00
Universal Cake and Bread Mixers.....\$3.75 to \$5.00
Ironing Boards.....\$2.00 to \$4.00
Wringers.....\$5.00 to \$10.00
Washing Machines.....\$8.75 to \$112.00
Gas Ranges.....\$40.00 to \$109.00
Cook Stoves and Ranges.....\$40.00 to \$125.00
Perfection and Barler Oil Heaters.....\$6.75 to \$16.50

FOR FATHER OR BROTHER
Lanterns.....\$1.40 to \$7.50
Driving Lamps.....\$1.50 to \$6.00
Soapstone Foot Warmers.....85c to \$1.25
Auto Filling Cans.....\$2.00 to \$2.65
Filter Funnels.....\$1.60

FOR BROTHER
Bicycles.....\$14.00 to \$50.00
Bicycle Tires, each.....\$3.00 to \$4.50
Luggage Carriers.....\$1.00 to \$1.90
Bicycle Lamps.....\$2.65 to \$5.00
Bicycle Handle Bars.....\$2.50 to \$3.75
Bicycle Saddles.....\$2.50 to \$4.00
Horns.....\$1.75
Bells.....60c to \$1.00
Wagons.....\$1.50 to \$12.00
Wheel Barrows.....65c to \$5.50
Famous White Coaster Wagons.....\$4.50 to \$12.00
Automobiles.....\$7.00 to \$16.00
Velocipedes.....\$3.90 to \$14.00
Go Carts.....75c to \$4.45
Kiddie Kars.....\$2.00 to \$4.00
Hand Cars.....\$5.00 to \$8.35
Shoo Flys.....12.00 to \$8.00
Sleds.....\$1.50 to \$4.45
Coaster Sleds.....\$1.95 to \$4.45

FOR LITTLE SISTER
Doll Buggies.....20c to 40c
Biggest Doll Values in town—Dolls.....\$2.75
Blackboards.....\$2.75
Doll Cradles.....\$1.50
Childs' Rockers, white enameled.....95c
Toy Dishes.....50c, 65c, 95c

BRADY BROTHERS
Hardware Company
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ATE GETS COURT HOUSE AT METAMORA

Only Remaining Building in Illinois Where Abraham Lincoln Practiced Law—Will Be Preserved as Lincoln Memorial Museum

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 18.—The old Metamora Court House, the only remaining court building in Illinois where Abraham Lincoln appeared as a lawyer, has been acquired by the state. Deeds to the property, completing the transfer to the state from the village of Metamora, have been received here by Col. C. R. Miller, director of the state department of public works and buildings.

The old building will be preserved as the Lincoln Memorial museum. However, its intimate association with the names of several other great men extends its interest beyond the one character to at least three other men of national historic fame. Four thousand dollars a year has been appropriated for its upkeep.

"The value of this modest temple of justice," Colonel Miller said, "is not in its splendid architecture nor in the materials of which it is built but rather in its sacred memories. In this regard it is doubtful if a more important or valuable court house can be found in the United States. It was the forensic home of many noted lawyers.

"Abraham Lincoln, as a circuit riding lawyer, had been attending court in old Versailles, the first county seat of Woodford county. On the removal of the county seat to Metamora he continued to ride the circuit from one county seat to another. He was a regular attendant at court in Metamora until the late fifties. The old building is the last remaining court house in the state in which Lincoln practiced law.

"There were times when Abraham Lincoln, Adlai E. Stevenson, Judge David Davis and Robert G. Ingersoll all met under the roof of that building, not only once, but many times. No one would have believed at that time that, within the walls of that unpretentious structure, there were assembled a future president and a vice president, a future judge of the highest judicial body in the world and the greatest orator of his age. Yet all this proved to be true."

"A county is rich or poor according to the traditions which influence and shape its course, and the present generation can best serve posterity by preserving imperishably the names and deeds of the great and good men who have preceded us. To preserve the old court house at Metamora will aid to preserve the fame and names of the great and distinguished men who have been associated with it."

MEREDOSIA NEWS NOTES OF INTEREST

P. S. Hodges and Eli Harshman motored to Griggsville Monday. Luther Rice and wife and Mrs. Iva Raub were business callers in Jacksonville Wednesday.

Hal Naylor and wife drove to Winchester Tuesday afternoon and spent a short time with the former's sister and family.

C. P. Hedrick, Mrs. Ellen Hyde, Merle Bennett, Margaret Cody, Rachel Bollyard were shopping in Jacksonville Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hienman and son Floyd from near Bluffs were trading here Tuesday.

Henry Smitker of Concord was a business caller here Tuesday.

Mrs. Earl Pond and baby have returned to their home in Beardstown after a week's visit with relatives here.

Mrs. Fritz Yeck returned home Tuesday after several days' visit with relatives in Jacksonville.

Claus Hinner and wife, Louie Hinner and wife motored to Jacksonville Monday.

Rev. G. T. Wetzel of Jacksonville was a business caller here Tuesday.

W. T. Karsemeyer and son Edgar were among the Jacksonville callers Monday.

W. L. Wilday and wife and Mrs. Ellen Giger were guests of Howard and Madam and family in Virginia Tuesday.

Mrs. Alta Paynt, son Eugene and Hugh Sargent and wife were business callers at the county seat Wednesday.

Grace Burrus of Pittsfield was a visitor here Tuesday. He came to see his mother, Mrs. Ellen Burrus, who is very sick at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lester Gilliland.

Mrs. W. M. Black attended the poultry show at Jacksonville Wednesday and had some fine birds on exhibition there.

Henry Hinner and W. J. Hale went to Chambersburg Monday and husked corn for A. H. Hinner.

Charles James and Geo. W. James were Jacksonville visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gale Hierman are the proud parents of a baby girl which arrived Dec. 13. Mrs. Hierman was formerly Miss Freda Barth and has many acquaintances in this vicinity.

Henry Hinner, wife and Mrs. Minnie Potosch were guests of Ed Hansmeyer and family at Arenzville Tuesday.

G. M. Steinberg, son Gilbert, Mrs. C. G. Wegehoff, Miss Leta Schaefer were Jacksonville shoppers Tuesday.

John Weeks was a caller here from Arenzville Wednesday.

J. F. Brockhouse was a business caller in Jacksonville Tuesday.

C. O. Summers spent Thursday with his mother in Beardstown.

Mrs. Summers' condition is very serious at this time. Mrs. Alice Merris accompanied him and will remain to care for Mrs. Summers.

Mrs. J. D. McLain returned home.



Greetings

The season of world-wide cheer is here; the season that makes every one glad with the joy of living.

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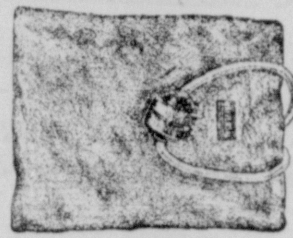


Have you given the selection of your Christmas gifts the best consideration?

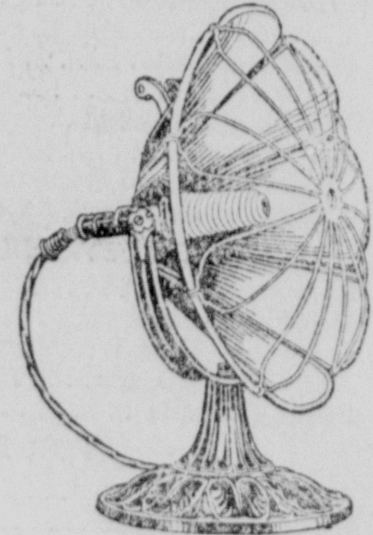
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Eureka Vacuum Cleaner specially priced until Dec. 24, \$45.00 complete with all attachments. (Regular price, \$53.50.)

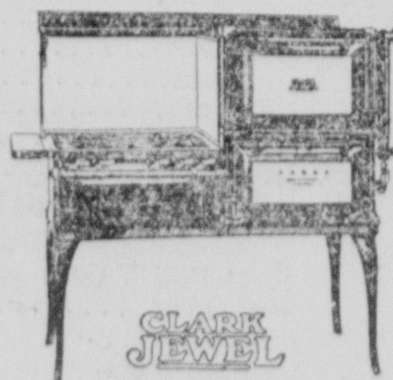
The "Eden" Electric Washer handles every article from the sheerest to the heaviest in a perfect manner. Very reasonably priced.



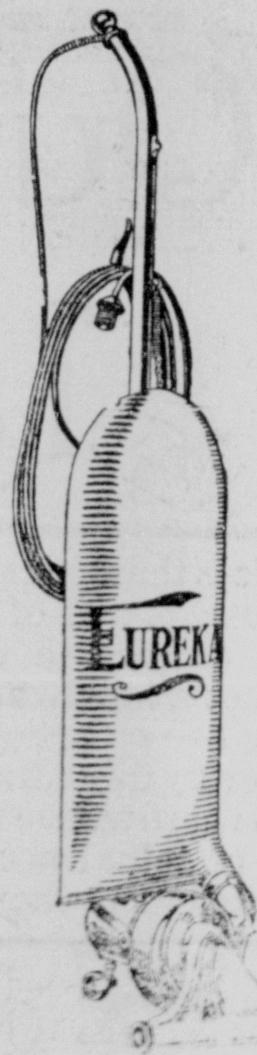
We would not have you overlook Gas Ranges equipped with the "Lorain" Oven Heat Regulator—the perfect little attachment that gives the housewife freedom from the kitchen or the house while a meal is cooking. If you have not seen the "Lorain" we would particularly like to demonstrate its efficiency and accuracy.



LORAIN OVEN HEAT REGULATOR



CLARK JEWEL

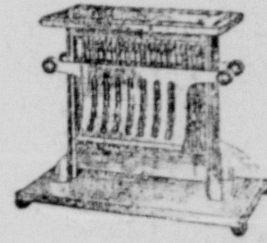


Why not give something of real value—something be of almost daily service?

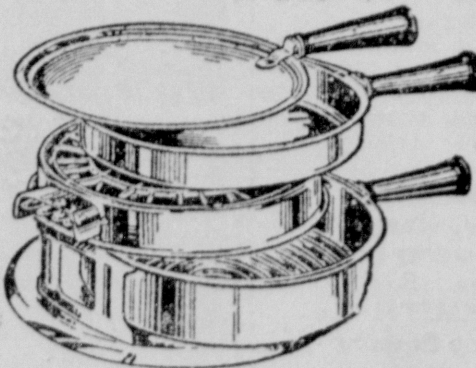
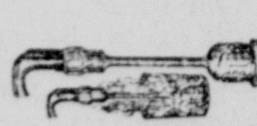
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Electrical Appliances make ideal Christmas gifts because moderately priced, serviceable and useful.

Electricity rapidly is becoming the nation's greatest servant, new uses being found for it day after day whereby the physical hardships of the housewife are actually changed to pleasant tasks.



In the smaller Electric Home Needs we mention Percolators at \$10 up; Curling Iron with comb at \$6.75; Immersion Water Heater at \$5.25; Heating Pad (3 heats) at \$10.75; Toasters at \$6.75; Ovenette at \$7.00; Electric Iron at \$6.75, and the Tourist Iron at \$6.50; the "Sun Flower" Electric Heater at \$12.50; and numerous other small articles that we cannot picture here.



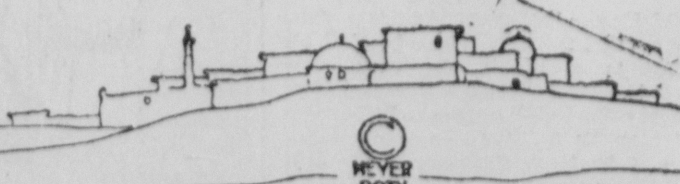
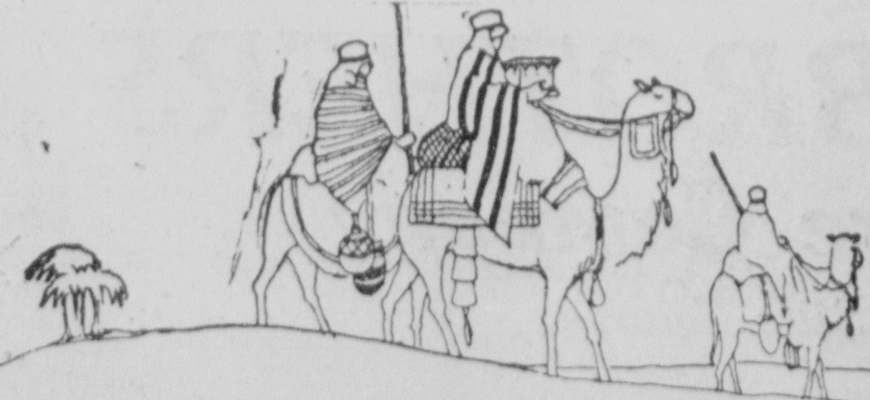
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MEYER BOTH

Condensed Telegraphic News

(By The Associated Press)

DELHIA, India, Dec. 17.—Official announcement was made today that since the outbreak of disturbances in Malabar last August, 1,826 Mohajirs have been killed, 1,500 wounded and 5,474 captured. The announcement added that 14,241 have surrendered voluntarily.

CANTON, Ill., Dec. 17.—Judge Cyrus E. Dietz, of Moline, was elected president of the Fourth District Federation of Local Bar Associations at its sixth annual convention here today. Other officers named are: Vice president, Fred Wolfe, Quincy; secretary, Jesse Heylin, Canton; treasurer, John C. Lawyer, Macomb; member board of governors, J. J. Neiger, Virginia.

KANKAKEE, Ill., Dec. 17.—Arthur S. Strauss, a fireman, was killed when a chemical tank exploded here today while his company was returning from a fire. The end of the tank blew out, cutting off half of Strauss' head.

GALESBURG, Ill., Dec. 17.—Three automobiles and one truck were destroyed in a fire started in the repair department of a garage here last night. Damage is estimated at around \$15,000.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 17.—A highwayman held up and robbed Robert M. Lindsay, a salesman and a former service man, of his money, watch and fob here today. Lindsay told police the watch and fob were returned when the highwayman found the leather pendant to the time piece bore a French croix de guerre. Lindsay lost \$15, he said.

ROCKFORD, Ill., Dec. 17.—Members of an Illinois Central freight train crew here today, said a man resembling Tommy O'Connor, boarded their train at Genoa, yesterday, and left it at Burlington, when a tramp told him there was a special agent on board. The man was armed and kept a sharp lookout, the tramp told the crew.

YOUNGSTOWN SOLVES TRAFFIC PROBLEM

Sells Tickets Good for Unlimited Rides During Week for Which They are Valid.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., (By A. P.)—Sale of weekly street car tickets, good for an unlimited number of rides during the week for which they are valid, is helping to solve the financial troubles of the Youngstown Municipal Railway company and at the same time is giving unusually cheap street car transportation to residents who take advantage of the plan.

The weekly tickets are sold for \$1.25, and city officials estimate that one-fourth of the total street car revenue comes from that source. More than 5,000 of the tickets are being sold each week. Company figures show that the holders of these tickets use them on an average of 4 1-2 times a day, at a cost of a little more than four cents a ride. The cash fare in Youngstown is nine cents, with six tickets for fifty cents and one cent for a transfer.

Because of one-man safety cars and the operating expenses, and the weekly tickets have increased revenue so that the allowance for operating expense has been cut from 34 to 31 cents per car mile. This cut, voted by council last week, will mean a saving of about \$40,000 a month, which will be added to the stabilizing fund maintained under the service-at-cost plan.

Until the weekly ticket plan was put into effect about two months ago, Youngstown's municipal street car system was playing an almost losing game, because of the stiff competition given by automobile bus lines, twenty of which operate between Youngstown and East Youngstown alone.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pinkerton and their daughter, Frelene, of Franklin, were among the city shoppers yesterday.

Artie Shull was among the Chester arrivals in the city yesterday.

NEW NASH HERE
New Nash "691" Touring, \$1645, delivered.
New Nash "4155" Touring, \$1120, delivered.

These are the newest cars yet out, highly improved, practical and beautiful. The Best Xmas Gift.

DEPPE,
HOUSTON & McNAMARA

TYPEWRITERS

Remingtons, Underwoods, L. C. Smiths, Oliviers, Woodstocks, Harris, Fox, and others at reduced prices.

Typewriter Ribbons

Typewriters for Rent

Laning, 304 Ayers Bank Bld.

DANVILLE, Ill., Dec. 17.—Charles Young, manager of the canteen at the national soldiers' home; Hugh LaFollette, janitor at the canteen, and Garland Stone, a member of the home, are in the guard house, charged with selling intoxicated liquor from the canteen to members of the home. A fourth man is missing. According to one of the men, the missing man is said to have taken the liquor from the home hospital.

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill., Dec. 17.—Approximately 1,300 packing house strikers, including a number of women, paraded thru the business section at noon today. Breaking of two windows, and an attack on a policeman by a striker earlier today, were the only disorders reported.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Dec. 17.—Alice Burnham Fellows, aged forty-nine, national authority on the education of blind children, was bound over to municipal court today, on a charge of stealing clothing valued at \$800, after waiving preliminary examination in district court. Miss Fellows, who has devoted a lifetime to aiding others, and who stole, according to an alleged confession to police, for the sake of two blind children, whom she had adopted, was led back to the county jail to await trial. Friends who remembered her brilliant career in helping blind children, were unable to raise the \$1,500 bail.

FRESNO, Cal., Dec. 17.—Mrs. Bambina Maud Delmont, who swore to the San Francisco police court complaint charging Roscoe C. ("Fatty") Arbuckle with murdering Virginia Rappe, was granted today one year probation when she appeared in court for sentence on a charge of bigamy. She pleaded guilty last week. The complaint Mrs. Delmont swore out was reduced to one of manslaughter by the police court and the jury which tried Arbuckle on it, failed to agree.

ARCADIA BECOMES BIG AERIAL CENTER

California Town Benefits by Enlargement of Army Balloon School—Largest No Rigid Airship Ever Seen Has Been Sent There.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 17.—Arcadia, sixteen miles from here, becomes one of the great aerial centers in the United States with the enlargement of the Army Balloon School at Ross Field there to an Army Balloon and Airship school. The war department has sent the largest non-rigid airship ever seen on the Pacific coast, the Airship D-3 which participated in the recent aerial bombardment of the German battleship off Hampton Roads, Va. This added to a pony blimp, twenty captive balloons and eight free balloons now at the post. It is the first airship school in the west and similar to the army school at Langley Field, Hampton, Va.

Construction work is under way for two great steel hangars at the field. The Airship D-3 is 198 feet long, 51 feet, 3 inches wide and 58 feet high. It has a cruising radius of 750 miles at the cruising speed of 45 miles an hour, and a radius of 550 miles at high speed, 60 miles an hour. A crew of four operates the great airship. There are accommodations aboard for three additional officers.

The pony blimp which has been in operation at Ross Field since March is of the tractor propulsion type, being 95 1-2 feet long and 30 feet wide. It has a capacity of 35,350 cubic feet of gas, operated by two men, pilot and engineer, one of whom also operated the radio. The speed is 45 miles an hour at cruising with a radius of 570 miles, and 55 miles at high speed, with a radius of 380 miles.

The enlargement of the school provides that airship pilots will be graduated in addition to balloon observers.

The A type airship is 162 feet long, 39 feet wide and 47 feet high, with a capacity of 95,000 cubic feet of gas, non-rigid type. A crew of three, pilot, radio operator and engineer, operates the craft, which has a cruising radius of 1700 miles at the speed, 60 miles an hour.

The airships are equipped with radio telephone instruments, as well as radio telegraph, the radius being over twenty miles.

DEFEATED CANDIDATE FILES EXPENSE ACCOUNT

Akron, O.—"Received nothing. Spent nothing. Got nothing."

This is the campaign expense account filed by Joan Wucher, defeated at the November election for justice of the peace of Norton township. County board of elections officials say it is the shortest expense account on record.

WILL BURN OFF RIGHT OF WAY

URBANA, Ill., Dec. 17.—All the railroads in the Illinois area affected by chinch bugs have expressed their willingness to burn their right of way as thoroughly as possible, it was announced by W. P. Flint, chief entomologist,

RECEIVES BOX OF FRUIT
R. W. Dodsworth received a fine box of fruit Friday from W. T. Dodsworth, of Berkeley, Cal.

Miss Neal, who left the city two months ago for treatment in a New York hospital, is expected to return to the city Dec. 23. She has been visiting with Robert Neal and family, in Springfield, Mass.

Mrs. Frank Wolfe, of Markham vicinity, was among the Christmas shoppers in the city, yesterday.

MISS KNOFF AGAIN HONORED

Has Picture Hung in Corcoran Gallery of Art, Washington, D. C.

Miss Nellie E. Knopf, Director of Fine Arts, at Illinois Woman's College has received word this week that one of her pictures, "The Mountains, Colorado," had been accepted by the jury and was included in the Eighth Exhibition of Contemporary American Oil Paintings at the Corcoran Gallery of Art, Washington, D. C.

The exhibition opened with a brilliant reception Saturday night and continues until January 22nd and since it is held only every two years and the Clark awards are one of its strong features, it attracts wide publicity and is regarded as one of the most important art events of the year. Miss Knopf is honored in having her painting shown in this distinguished exhibition and is to be congratulated in her success and the appreciation shown her work.

ARE INTERESTED IN ARMS CONFERENCE

I. W. C. Students Adopt Resolution and Send It to Secretary of State Hughes.

The students of Illinois Woman's college have been greatly interested in the Disarmament Conference now in session at Washington, D. C. They have just held a mass meeting in which the following resolutions were adopted and sent to Washington urging that disarmament become a reality. Miss Martha Logan, president of the Freshmen Society was elected as a student representative to keep in touch with the work of the conference and report from time to time to the Student Association.

The following resolutions were adopted and forwarded to the conference:

To Honorable Charles E. Hughes, Chairman of Disarmament Conference, Washington, D. C.

Whereas, We the students of the Illinois Woman's College are eagerly watching and thought-

fully considering the daily progress of the Conference.

Be It Resolved, That we hereby declare our sympathy with the purpose of the Conference on Limitation of Armaments, and express our willingness to share the national sacrifice necessary for the successful maintenance of peace.

Miss Irene Coultas, of the Chapin vicinity, had occasion to come to Jacksonville yesterday.

Miss Helen Walsh was a Franklin shopper in the city yesterday.



Make the Christmas Smile Last Through the Whole Year

CHRISTMAS—it's the glad time when every heart is stirred--when the spirit of good feeling becomes boundless. Make your gift to "him" spell the spirit of the occasion---the kind of gift every man and young man and youth likes to receive from a Man's Store.

Why Not an Overcoat—The kind he wears is here—Ullsterettes belted or half belt—Styles for men or young men \$15 to \$50

Fur Collars—For overcoats \$7.50 to \$20

Or a Suit—With one or two trousers for men, young men—Stouts, longs or shorts, wool fabrics. . . \$21 to \$38

Shirts—Silks, fine crepes, broadcloth and jerseys; silk mixed madras, stripes, percales. \$1 to \$8.50

Van Heusen Collars—The newest thing in collars. Buy him a box. 50c Each

Silk and Knitted Ties—Swiss, French and Italian Silks, handsome, lustrous silks. \$1 to \$3.50

Hosiery—Famous Interwoven Hose—Silk, Lisle and wool. 40c to \$1.25

Hats—Velour, smooth or rough finished felts, browns, greys or tans. \$3 to \$8.50

Caps—Fur or Cloth. \$1 to \$12.50

Silk Mufflers—Entirely new weaves and colors \$1 to \$4

Initial Buckles and Belts—The famous Hickok make, selling from. 50c to \$3.50

Handkerchiefs—Plain linen and initial. . . . 10c to 50c

Leather Bags—Boston and Club shape. . . . \$2.50 to \$20

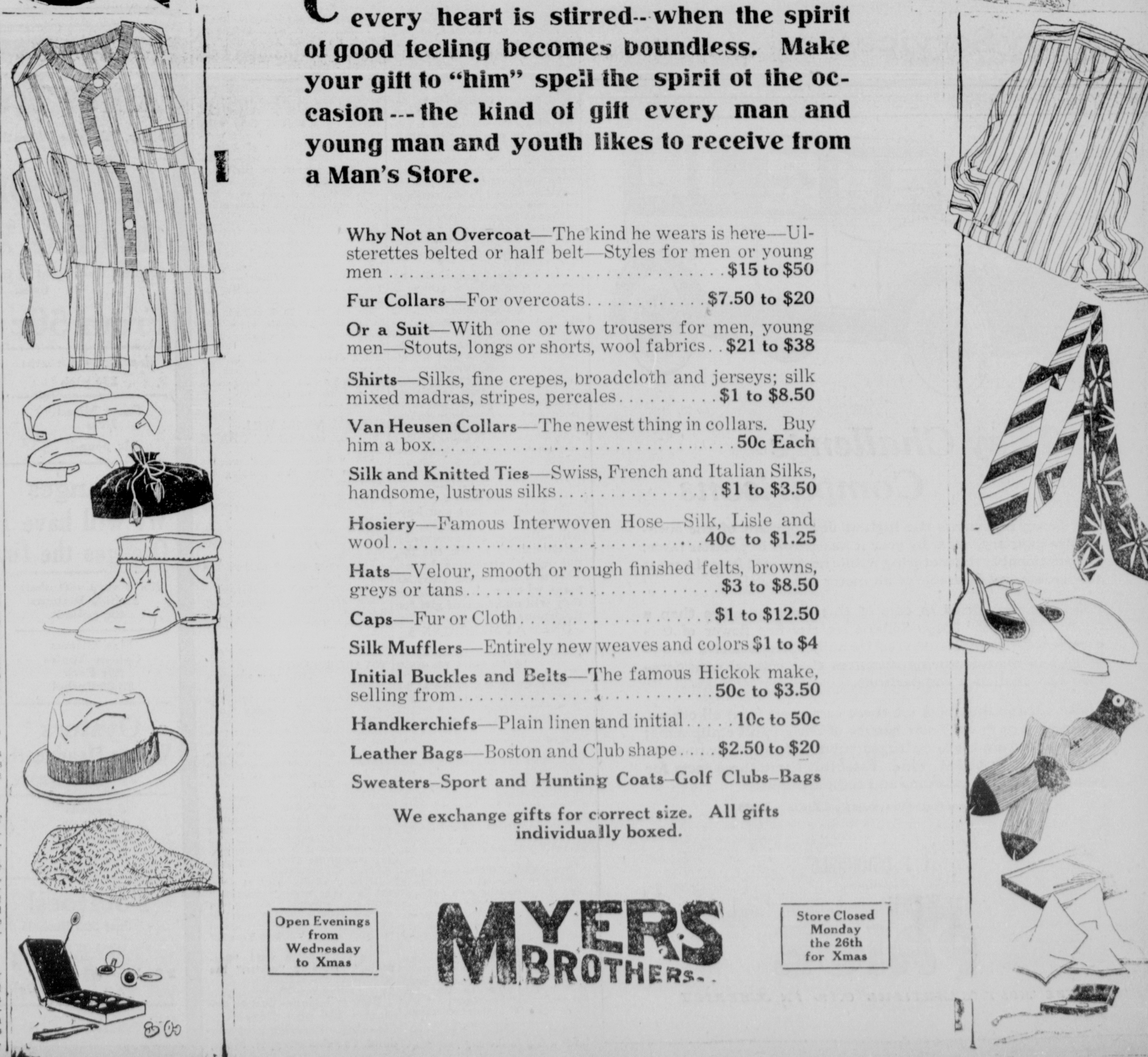
Sweaters—Sport and Hunting Coats—Golf Clubs—Bags

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Wednesday
to Xmas

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Monday
the 26th
for Xmas



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Best Hog Food on the Market Today
\$2.50 per bag \$50 per Ton
Increases weight from 1 1/2 to 2 pounds per day. Contains 60% protein, twice as much as oil meal and five times that of middlings, shorts or alfalfa meal. We manufacture this great food and have proven its efficiency. Ask us for proof.
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Manufacturers, Jacksonville, Illinois
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Sundays and evenings 984 Sundays and evenings \$11

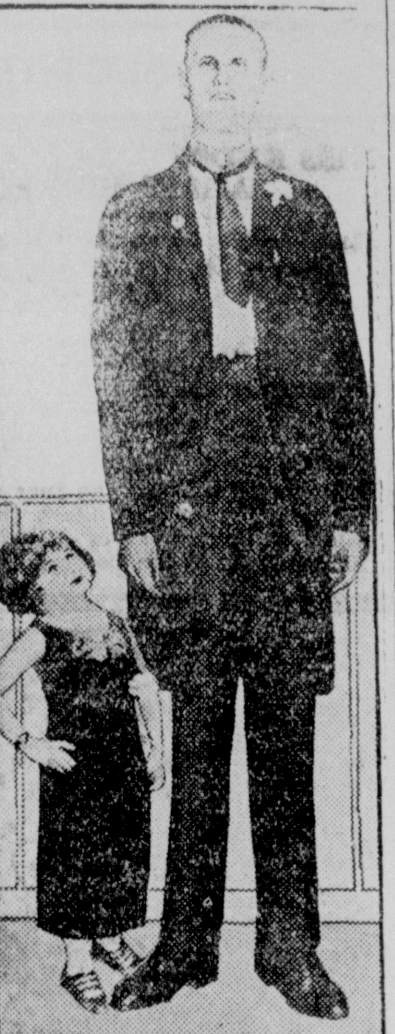
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Paige has specialized in cars of this type for more than a decade. The new Paige Sedans are the fine flower of this experience—examples of creative ability, automotive knowledge and manufacturing resources that compel consideration and challenge comparisons.
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THE MOST BEAUTIFUL CAR IN AMERICA

ATTENTION MOOSE
All members of Athens Lodge 1422 and visiting members are invited to attend the regular meeting Monday night, 7:30 sharp, to be followed by lunch, refreshments and smoker. Be sure and come. William Hunter, Dictator. Chas. Blesse, Secy.

Bought Your Christmas Player Rolls
There's some splendid new music out now, and you will want something new for the holidays. And,
By the Way
one or two Player Rolls would make an ideal gift to the friend who has a player. And,
We Can Deliver A Gulbransen
Player Christmas morning, or that new upright, if we have the order soon. Call in and talk it over.
W. T. Brown
Piano Company
4 W. Cor. Square. Both Phones
James Guyette, Mgr.
Over 40 Years in Business. Our Record is Your Surety of Service and Satisfaction.

WOMAN'S COLLEGE NOTES
President Harker spent the early part of the week in attending the Area meeting held in Peoria, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Very interesting sessions were held and the great good of the Detroit Conference was passed on to those present in the Area Meeting.
Many will remember with pleasure hearing Bishop Oldham give the Commencement address at the college two years ago last June. He is especially interested in the work of the school since one of his wards, Miss Sarita Jones of Santiago, Chile, is a student here at the college. Bishop Oldham visited in Jacksonville Monday evening of this week and spent the time at the college in conference with Miss Jones and various other friends. He expressed himself as being well pleased with the progress that has been made and told of his visit here at an address at the Area Meeting in Peoria where he was one of the principal speakers.
The college was well represented at the Student Volunteer Conference which was held at Greenfield last Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Four student volunteers were sent by the Young Women's Christian Association and were all most enthusiastic over the experience which they enjoyed. They returned with a determination to increase their number.
Miss Jeril Hess of the class of '15 writes a most interesting letter in regard to her work in connection with the Young Women's Christian Association. Miss Hess spent over a year in Czechoslovakia. Since returning to this country, she has made a number of visits to colleges for women in the eastern part of the country where she has spoken in the interest of the Student Friendship Fund for the relief of students in Europe. Miss Hess met with a great deal of success in her work and is now one of the editors of the Association. Monthly published by the National Board of the Young Women's Christian Association. Miss Hess will be remembered here as one of the leaders in the student activities and as president of the Student Association during her senior year.
The School of Religion is being conducted very successfully with an average attendance of about forty each Tuesday evening. The organization plans to have a fellowship banquet during the Christmas holidays at which time a general invitation will be extended to those who are interested in this feature of the church activities to be present. Indications are that the enrollment will be even larger.
A committee of the faculty has been appointed to look after the interests of the "more capable student." This is in co-operation with the National Research Council and is being worked out in a number of the leading colleges and universities in the country. Its plan being to promote even a higher degree of scholarship and to advise with the students who possess unusual ability.
The Young Women's Christian Association, through its department of social work entertained a group of children at the annual Christmas party Saturday afternoon of this week. Each child was given a toy and made to feel that Christmas meant something to him.
Miss Dorothy Lukeman who has been a student in the department of Home Economics, specializing in Dietetics, has been appointed dietitian in the Jacksonville State Hospital of this city.
A mid-winter institute of the Epworth league will be held in the halls of the college, December 29. At this time it is expected that delegates will be present from Springfield, Jacksonville and Quincy districts. Already word has come from students living beyond these districts but who attended the Epworth league institute at Shelbyville and who became especially interested in the religious training work of the college.

Looking Up

Things began to look up, as the saying is, when Jan Van Albert, nine feet five inches, attended the Showmen's League of America. That applied especially to Grace Earles, 30 inches tall.
WILL RAISE OWN CHRISTMAS TREE IN PUBLIC PARK
Waverly Woman's Club Will Plant Tree Around Which Celebrations May Be Held From Year to Year.
Waverly, Dec. 17.—The Waverly Woman's Club has arranged to have a tree planted in the park around which the community may celebrate Christmas each year. A program which follows will be given at the tree at 7:30 Christmas eve:
"Joy to the World".....Community
"Old Little Town of Bethlehem".....Grade School
Invocation.....Rev. J. N. Thomas
"It Came Upon the Midnight Clear".....Community
"Hark the Herald Angels Sing".....High School
"Silent Night, Holy Night".....Everybody
Alfred Harrison spent the past week visiting in Jacksonville. Mrs. Orville Behl of Wichita, Kas., arrived for a visit of three weeks with relatives.
Mrs. H. E. Harrison of Jacksonville is visiting at the home of her son, E. T. Harrison and family.
Mrs. Emma Bradley left for Oakland, Calif., in response to a telegram, announcing the serious illness of her sister.
Rev. G. W. Hamand returned from Peoria where he attended a meeting of ministers and laymen.
E. G. Allen returned from Grand Forks, N. D., where he had been since August, looking after farming interests.
Mr. and Mrs. H. I. DeTurk returned from California where they spent several weeks visiting relatives.
Mrs. Charles Wood and daughter Betty of Denver, Colo., arrived for an extended visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Leo Happin.
SPECIAL MUSIC WILL BE HEARD AT GRACE
The following musical program will be given this morning by the Grace Methodist church:
Song, O Heaven, Tolls.
The Threefold Amen—Henry Ward Pearson.
There were Shepherds, John Scott.
This number will be sung by Beulah Mae Tull.
The evening special numbers will be:
The Earth Lay Wrapt, Sheldon.
The Shepherd's Christmas Song, Reimann.
Cantata, The Shepherd's Vision, Parker.
TOVARISH TABOO THRUOUT RUSSIA
RIGA, Latvia, Dec. 17.—The term "tovarish," meaning "comrade," by which Russian communists addressed each other thru out the earlier years of the Bolshevik regime, has now become almost an opprobrious salutation in Russia, according to advices reaching Riga.
While preserved, to some extent, as something of communistic cant in the official soviet newspapers, wherein Premier Lenin is referred to as "Tovarish Lenin," etc., it is gradually falling into disuse even among communists themselves.
More generally used at present is the word "Grazhdanin," meaning "citizen," the form of address being after the model of the French revolution, persons being addressed as "Citizen Krassin" etc.
The old Russian word, "Gospodin," meaning "mister," has fallen into general disuse.
Fine tailoring—Suit or overcoats \$35 up. Repairing. Cleaning. Pressing properly done. Frankenberg, N. Main.

WHAT YOU WILL SEE
Monday, January 2
2:00 to 4:00 7:00 to 8:00
at the
FORMAL OPENING
of the
New Home Sanitarium
(INCORPORATED)
WEST MORGAN STREET
A BEAUTIFUL, MODERN BUILDING OF 67 ROOMS, four stories, (counting basement a story). That has grown from a small 6 room cottage in 12 years. Three large porches encircling the entire north side of the building used as recreation and sleeping porches.
A LARGE ROOF GARDEN (not completed yet) for recreation. The kitchen, laundry (electric) help's dining room, cold storage, store room, laboratories, janitors rooms, the boiler and storage rooms in the concrete basement story.
SECOND STORY OR FIRST FLOOR, business offices, reception rooms, examining and drug rooms. Private rooms and two private wards for men only.
THE THIRD STORY, OR SECOND FLOOR, has operating, sterilizing and wash (doctors') room. Private rooms. The OBSTETRIC apartment also on this floor. You will say beautiful things when you see it.
SECTION 2 next.

Dr A. H. KENNIEBREW, Surgeon in Charge

Xmas Trees! Xmas Trees!
Holly, Mistletoe, Wreaths, Table Trees, Magnolia, Pine Needles, Everything at
All Economy Cash Stores
1000 Fine Xmas Trees to Select From
Greatest assortment of trees in central Illinois. Reasonably priced. Fine bushy trees. Select one now. We will deliver it free.
From 50c up. Let us save one for you

Fine Holly Wreaths 23c each	Fine Holly Full of Berries 23c pound	Fine Fresh Mistletoe 60c Pound
Fancy Mixed Nuts 23c pound	Fancy Filberts 23c pound	Fancy Large Brazil Nuts 23c pound

Oranges Oranges Oranges
We will have 1500 dozen of the fanciest Naval Oranges the first of the week. See Us Before Buying

No. 1 very soft shell English Walnuts 40c pound	Try the Famous "Blue Goose" Grape Fruit	10 pounds Fine Corn Meal 23c
Fine Grimes Golden Apples 89c Peck \$2.69 Bushel	10 Bars White Naptha Soap 59c	Quart Can Apple Butter 27c

Oysters Oysters Oysters
We are Headquarters—Hundreds of Gallons for the Holidays

5 pounds Fancy Bulk Rolled Oats 23c	Fancy Head Rice 5 pounds 45c	Tangerines, Head Lettuce, Cauliflower, Celery, Egg Plant, Tomatoes, Cucumbers, Celery Cabbage.
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Potatoes! Potatoes! Potatoes!
Just 500 Bushels to move at once. We are crowded for storage space
\$2.59 Bag \$2.59 Bag \$2.59 Bag
2 Bushels— Fine Red River Ohio —2 Bushels
Delivery 10c a bag extra. At all Stores.
"Creamo" The finest Oleo with Pure Cream 29c lb

LIKE STARTING HIS LIFE OVER

Chicago Man Says Tanlac Made Quick Work of Troubles That Followed Him 7 Years.

"Before I commenced taking Tanlac the least bite of food of any kind would upset my stomach terribly, but now I can even eat meat and anything else I want without a bit of trouble afterward," said Joseph York, 5314 North Clark street, Chicago, Ill. Mr. York is a member of the well known Tennessee family of Yorks, and formerly lived in Huntsville, Tenn.

"For seven years I had stomach trouble and gastritis very bad. My food made me terribly sick, and I couldn't eat a bite of meat or drink any coffee because they hurt me so bad. I had severe headaches every day, and would get so dizzy I felt like I would fall over in a faint. I got to where I was so nervous I couldn't sleep any to speak of, and mornings when I got up I felt so tired I could hardly go to work.

"However, after my first few doses of Tanlac my stomach began to lose its grip, and now I have none of my troubles left. I feel so good it seems just like starting life over again. I am still gaining strength, and I sleep like a top. I get up mornings and start on my run feeling good and come home nights feeling the same way. Tanlac certainly has made quick work of my troubles."

Tanlac is sold in Jacksonville by J. F. Shreve and by druggists everywhere.—Adv.

YANKS and LEGIONAIRES

Forceful Facts Concerning the Interests of Former Soldiers, Sailors and Marines.

No fewer than 17,000 men were taught to fly during the World War.

Australia has 128,000 cadets training under the universal service system.

Work in the United States Army air service requires the skill of more than 50 trades.

A bill has been introduced in Washington to make Armistice day a permanent legal holiday.

The United States army has 18,000 officers, or approximately one to every seven enlisted men.

Approximately 2,000 American soldiers on the Rhine, in Germany will be sent home before Christmas.

Viewed from a military standpoint, Japan, it is said, is the weakest of the five great Powers of the world.

England, with a population of 45,000,000, possesses a standing army of 625,000 men and 6,216,000 in the reserves.

Miss Julia Stimson, dean of the Army Nurses' Training School, is the first and only woman major in the United States army.

The pay scale for privates in the United States army per day per man is \$1; United Kingdom, \$0.69; France, \$0.05; Japan, \$0.06.

The first real military uniforms prescribed and worn as a matter of discipline, were decreed by Louis XIV of France in 1688.

The World War has cost the nations that engaged in it, in money alone, \$250,000,000,000 — as much as the entire wealth of the United States.

Every soldier or former service man who is a holder of the Victoria Cross is authorized by the British government to affix "V. C." to his name.

According to records it takes four and a half months to make a soldier and 18 months to get him the material and the resources which to fight.

To become a private in the regular United States army, it is said, is almost as hard today as trying to get into a fashionable club that has a large waiting list.

Spiritualists in France are now trying to solve the identity of the unknown soldier buried under the Arch of Triumph, in Paris, by means of ouija boards and mystic tables.

The last of the British Expeditionary Force, seven officers and 36 privates, recently left France for England. They have served in the war-torn country, for a period of seven years.

A British representative at the armament conference recently judged the United States as having one of the biggest armies in the world, from the number of colonels he had met in Washington.

An infantryman in the new United States army must know how to handle a rifle and bayonet, a rifle grenade, hand grenade, automatic rifle, machine gun, automatic pistol, shotgun and trench knife.

Sergeant William E. Winston, of Carlstrom Field, Florida, is the only enlisted man in the United States army that has 2,000 hours of flying to his credit. Sergeant Winston is a thoroughly qualified aviator and instructor in aeronautics.

Compensation claims for losses or injuries to former service men, amounting to \$7,162,416 a year, are being sent by the United States Treasury to 85 foreign countries. Italy receives the largest proportion of money on claims and Ireland ranks second.

Canada is making preparations to honor her unknown dead. The body of an unknown soldier from

Popular Crepe



From Paris came the great vogue of popularity for satin crepe in its various guises but America has developed it to perfection. Crepe is made up on either the right or the wrong side. The lovely gown of "Molly O" satin crepe is exceedingly graceful with its Greek draped effects.

The Dominion will be brought from the western front and buried beneath the Victory Tower of the new Parliament Building in Ottawa. It is unlikely the ceremony will take place before Armistice Day, 1922.

Mrs. Helen F. Drexler of Waukegan, Ill., is known as the champion collector of government allotment checks. She was recently charged with having married no fewer than 12 husbands who served in the army or navy, divorced none, and received approximately \$400 a month in allotment checks for the last three years.

Because the State of Connecticut showed the best record in the last Liberty Loan campaign in raising 149.85 per cent of its quota, the flag that waved over the Capitol building in Washington during the days of the World War was presented to the State, and is now carefully guarded at the Capitol in Hartford.

Gaston Vidal, Minister of Sports, in France and former captain of infantry, is the originator of the inspiring ceremony of the burial of the unknown soldier which has led to the historical burials in Paris, London, Rome and the United States. Vidal served in the World War with the famous Alpine Chasseurs.

Treasury officials and leaders in Congress at Washington are discussing new plans for raising the fund necessary to pay the bonus to former service men. One proposal, which has received serious consideration, is to make use of the money owed this country by Great Britain to meet the bonus. The British debt exceeds \$3,000,000,000.

After a contact search by the British War Department, the fate of John Kipling, son of Rudyard Kipling, remains unknown. The last heard of the author's son was in October, 1915, when he was reported wounded and missing in Northern France. Young Kipling, at the age of 18, was one of the first English subjects to enlist in the World War.

At a recent meeting of "The World Peace Fellowship," attended by more than 1,000 persons in New York City, most of the audience signed pledges they would never engage in a war, offensive or defensive, whether it be by bearing arms, making or handling munitions, voluntarily subscribing to war loans or laboring to set others free for war service.

PROTEST AGAINST LUXURY TAX REFUND

PARIS, France, Dec. 17.—Several French newspapers are protesting against what they term "the misplaced generosity" of the government in refunding to Americans when they return to the United States, the ten per cent luxury tax they have paid on purchases. The newspapers say the government is giving away hundreds of thousands of francs in this way which rightfully belong to the country.

Americans have read these protests with not a little surprise. Many who have tried to get back the total of their luxury tax, have discovered the difficulties are many. The first and most essential demand of the government officials at the port of embarkation is that all receipts of purchases must be presented. Luxury tax concerns women almost entirely and most of them forget or lose these receipts.

Those who know of this demand are comparatively few, so the luxury tax, so far as most home-ward bound Americans are concerned, usually remains in France.

WRANGLERS IMITATE PEACE DELEGATES

Danville.—By the A. P.—A novel and interesting program, a representation of the peace conference now being held at Washington, was given before the high school recently by the Wranglers, a high school organization.

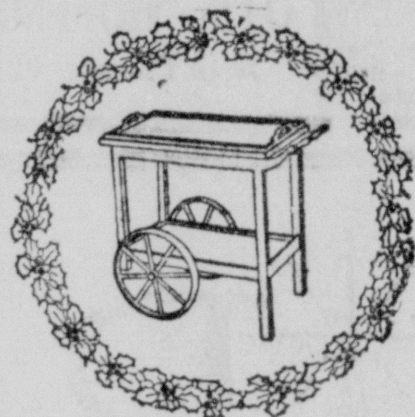
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Last Minute Shoppers will find us ready to meet their needs. If you have delayed your CHRISTMAS SHOPPING until now--Come in Tomorrow. Our stocks are still complete, and we offer splendid varieties for selection--and experienced, obliging salespeople will gladly assist you in every way possible.

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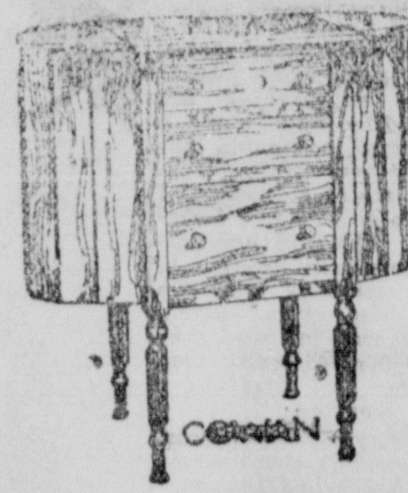
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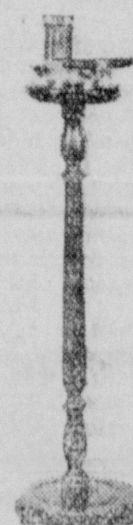
Rockers, make wonderful gifts. As shown in mahogany. Cane panels, as low as \$18.75



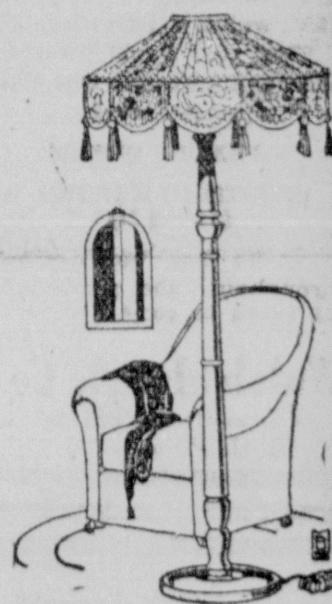
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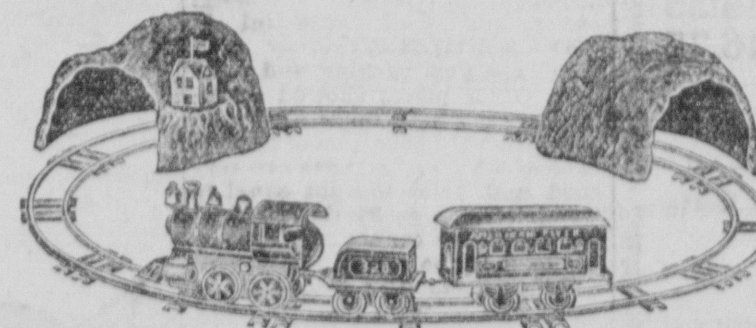


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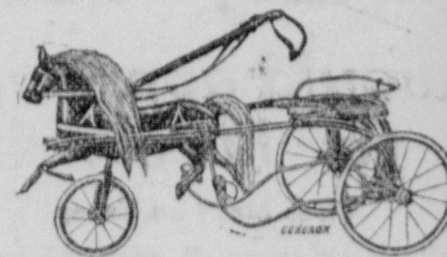
Mutt and Jeff Drums
Large size. Special 49c



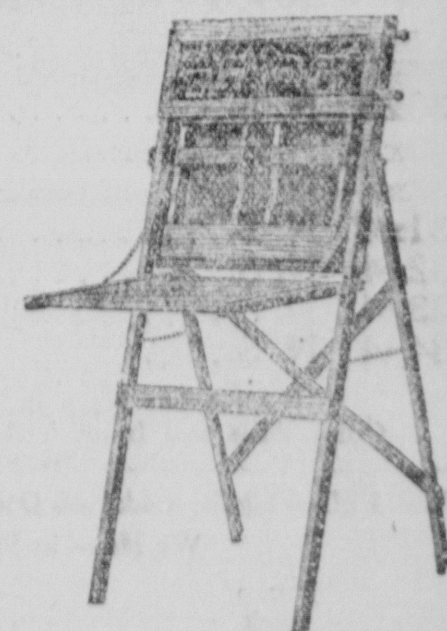
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Cycle Horse. A wonderful attractive item. Will please any boy or girl.....\$10.00



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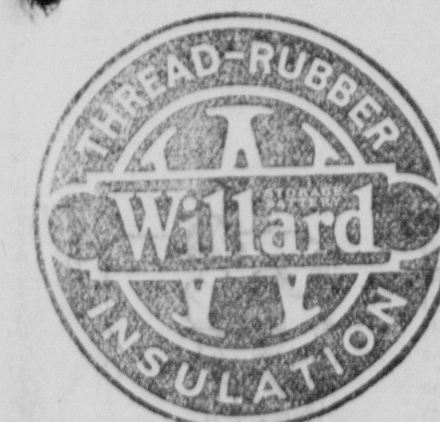
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WRITES INTERESTING FACTS FROM SOUTH

S. W. Nichols Describes Conditions as He Finds Them—Writes of Waste Land—Writes of Former Jacksonville Residents.

Kushla, Alabama, December 13, 1921.

Dear Journal:—The tenth day of my stay here finds me enjoying my friends and visit not a little and day after tomorrow I expect to leave with sincere regret the eager to meet my daughter.

Two things have greatly surprised me since coming here. First is the temperature. The afternoon of the second of December, which I spent in New Orleans found me uncomfortably warm with my rather heavy clothing but here when I ride I find an overcoat comfortable and the nights are actually cold. A thin coat of ice sometimes appears on still water, and the cold is so penetrating.

My room opens on to a large veranda and I sleep with the door open which is almost

equivalent to sleep out of doors and I find the same bed clothes I would use at home in the coldest weather very comfortable and you can imagine I make short work of dressing and undressing.

A greater cause for surprise is my condition. I had serious misgivings regarding a visit here. We are but a few miles from the Gulf of Mexico; there is much swamp between us and the sea and the altitude not great and I feared for the effect on my health. Then too, I guess I must bring cold weather with me for when I arrived in Tombstone last winter an unusually cold wave came with me and the same has happened here yet my improvement has been wonderful.

How often we see descendants of illustrious men fail to do credit to their ancestors. I well remember hearing President Sturtevant once remark that his children had his reputation in their hands and they have used the trust well. His eldest son was a highly respected minister; his second died when at the beginning of what seemed to be a successful career while the youngest, my host, is a respected citizen of this community as he was of Jacksonville when he lived there.

Maintain Reputation.

The next generation continue to maintain the reputation. We know the children of Mr. Hannah Sturtevant Palmer did their parents credit and one, with the Elliott State bank, is an honored citizen of Jacksonville. Dr. Julian Sturtevant, who died recently, has a son who is walking in his father's footsteps while my host and wife lost one son, a bright promising young man, who was drowned and have four left, two pursuing honorable careers in New York City and the other two with their father upright, successful men. The only daughter married a worthy young man of Mobile, but he died in early manhood, leaving her four children, the youngest four months old. She is a valued teacher in the Mobile public schools; one of her daughters is away at school, one son eight years old, the youngest lives with his uncle Julian here and the son and daughter at home, are bright, attractive young people.

Then the children of the oldest son, in New York, and of the other son here are promising and correct. It seems strange to me, I first knew my host when he was "Freddy," the youngest child of President Sturtevant, slender and delicate and now to see them grandparents of strapping boys nearly as large as their grandfather, makes me feel a bit aged.

Mr. Sturtevant suffers a trifle with rheumatism but his wife is in fine health and quite vigorous. She has plenty of help but prefers to have a large hand in household affairs. Her hair is but little grey and she hardly looks her three score and ten. Both are most charming entertainers doing all in their power for their guests who fully appreciate all their great kindness.

Yesterday we had a delightful auto ride to Citronelle, nearly thirty miles distant. There we found a very pleasant inland town much noted as a winter resort for

persons north and a permanent residence of several people from Jacksonville. William Finley Brown and family lived there and Mrs. Brown is now resident in Jacksonville. I called on Mrs. R. R. Chambers who lives alone, tho her daughter, Mrs. Pick, would be glad to have her mother with her. She is quite well and, barring an unpleasant lameness, gets about all right and is in good health. Her daughter has a lovely home and is well situated. I visited Edward Bradley whom I first found gravely presiding as justice of the peace at a trial; later he was free and greeted me most cordially.

Visited Herbell's.

I called on Emil and Frank Herbell whom I found with the family of Emil and the mother of the boys occupying a beautiful home in the center of the place. They were very glad to see me and treated me with all courtesy. Altho their mother is past four score she enjoys good health tho she is rather deaf. Emil has two interesting children. I also had a pleasant visit at the office of the "Call," a creditable weekly paper published by an enterprising citizen, C. W. Bile and Ohio railroad with direct communication with St. Louis, Mobile and New Orleans. We also passed on the way an excellent schoolhouse for colored people, due to the generosity of Julius Rosenwald. He is a man who makes good use of vast wealth. As I understand it, he will give a certain sum to establish colored schools if the people will match the amount. At any rate, whatever the terms, he gives largely for this purpose.

This locality has in times past, supplied large quantities of turpentine and the trees over a great area are scarred by the producers of that useful fluid. Mr. Sturtevant was at one time engaged in that business and bought timber of five thousand acres for the purposes. He sold out his holdings some years ago and now the works are idle. We visited them and saw a large number of barrels of rosin awaiting shipment.

A tree may be scarred twice or at the most, three times for turpentine and then it is worthless and should be cut down. Tho the land is not very fertile it produces the hard pine of various varieties and a tract stripped of trees will grow up again in pine trees. In about 25 years will have "large enough timber for another crop of turpentine. Trees should be from five or six inches in diameter and from that on up to be scarred for turpentine.

I had a very agreeable experience yesterday. I started out for a long walk and after going several miles was returning when I heard an automobile approaching and soon it stopped by my side and a very well dressed, agreeable lady driving a handsome Buick runabout invited me to ride which I was glad to do and we had a very pleasant visit. She said her husband, Mr. Horn, was hunting in the adjacent territory and she was to meet him at a certain point. Mr. Sturtevant said they were some of the prominent families of Mobile.

Wednesday morning.

We had a very pleasant excursion yesterday riding about ninety miles and seeing a different part of Mobile county. In the city we stopped to mail some packages and had to wait a long time in line to get at the parcel post window as people are beginning to heed the admonition to shop early. We went thirty miles or more beyond the city thru a different part of the county. I was much impressed by the vast amount of land uncultivated and unused. It was more or less remote from railroads and being rather thin needed expensive fertilizers to make it productive and so had never been utilized. Some of it was grown up to scrub timber and much was occupied with weeds and scattering dwarf trees.

There is about this region a large amount of scrub oak, worthless for any useful purposes but having beautiful foliage even at this time of the year. It is a deep crimson brown and very beautiful.

Gardens Are Growing.

Now is the time for winter gardens and hardy vegetables which can stand some cold are raised with more or less success. We saw large amounts of cabbage plants set out and other things are also grown with greater or less success.

Getting a good distance from Mobile we passed thru country far better utilized tho the roads were rather inferior. Satsuma oranges and sugar cane were the chief crops seen, tho there is a certain kind of sand pear tree that does well also and is not subject to blight. The orange groves were in all sorts of conditions. Some belonged to thrifty, successful owners and were beautiful in their loads of ripe, yellow fruit they are now packing and shipping. Other places showed thriftless farmers with fields grown up to weeds with poor crop of fruit or none at all. The oranges are very good and juicy tho not equal to the California or Florida product but the latter cannot be grown here as it is too cold.

We saw one field of cotton and many of southern sugar cane. This is now ripe and is being harvested and we saw a lot of primitive syrup or molasses mills. All were in ancient, dilapidated sheds with crude appliances. We visited one where they were at work and were treated very politely.

The cane is stripped and cut and hauled to the mill where it is put thru rollers which extract most of the juice tho not as thoroughly as I saw done in the great Eva plantation in Hawaii. A carrier removes the crushed stalks to a pile which should be used for fertiliz-

er tho in most cases it was left in the pile.

The operator gave me some juice to drink and it was excellent. His capacity is 136 gallons a day. Pecans are also a widely grown crop in this region and the trees are planted the same as apple orchards and many kinds of nuts are fine and bring large prices.

Too Cold for Oranges.

Within a few miles from the gulf the frost has less effect and orange groves there do well but thus far they are doubtful. Mr. Sturtevant tried one and for a while it promised well but at last the trees were frozen down three seasons in succession and he gave it up. There is a strip a few miles from the gulf where the frost seldom troubles the trees and there northern energy and capital would reap rich harvests. A satsuma grove brings a big return when all is well. They have a hundred trees to the acre and a mature tree will produce from three to six crates and this season the buyers snap them up at three dollars a crate. A few men have made great fortunes at the business but a man must know what he is about or a large loss awaits him in the business.

Peaches are also grown all about here with success and some men have made fine fortunes with them.

There are many beautiful flowers now in bloom, roses are abundant; japonica bushes are loaded with lovely blooms while all along the road we meet the poinsettia bushes which produce a scarlet leaf looking exactly like a flower but more durable.

Speaking of oranges I forget to say that each orchard has a few comquat trees loaded down with that diminutive which looks very well, growing but is not so valuable as oranges.

Corn does pretty well here tho the land must have commercial fertilizer to make it produce. Sometimes they plant two rows of

corn and then a row of velvet beans which are a legume much more productive than soy beans or cow peas and native to this climate with long seasons. Cattle or hogs will eat it after the corn has been removed and it is good for the land.

MAY RESTORE

AIRPLANE SERVICE St. Louis, Mo. (By A. P.)—Restoration of airplane service between Chicago and St. Louis, which was abandoned last July because of lack of funds, is being urged by the Society of Automotive Engineers here.

Colin M. Selph, postmaster of St. Louis, said that at a conference with Congressman L. C. Dyer, the congressman stated he would introduce a bill for the re-establishment of the service.

Miss Ellen O. Coultas, of Franklin, paid the city a visit yesterday.

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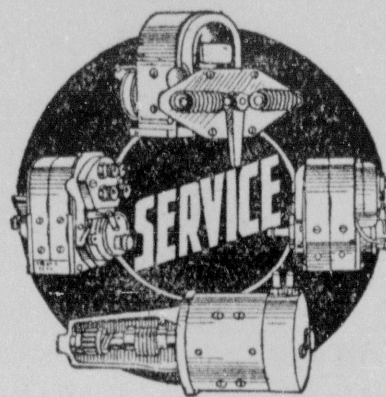
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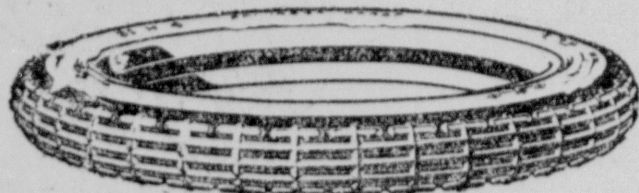
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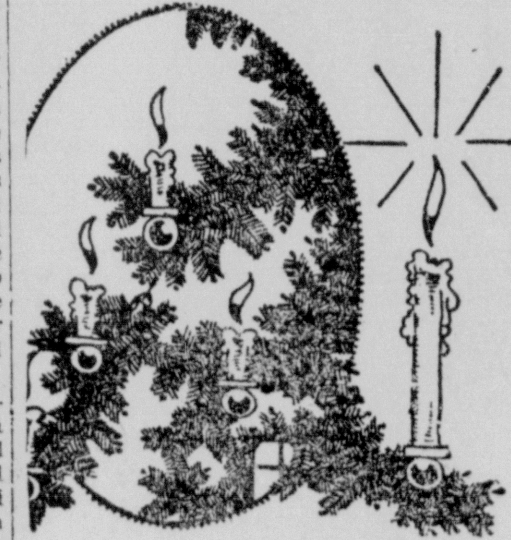
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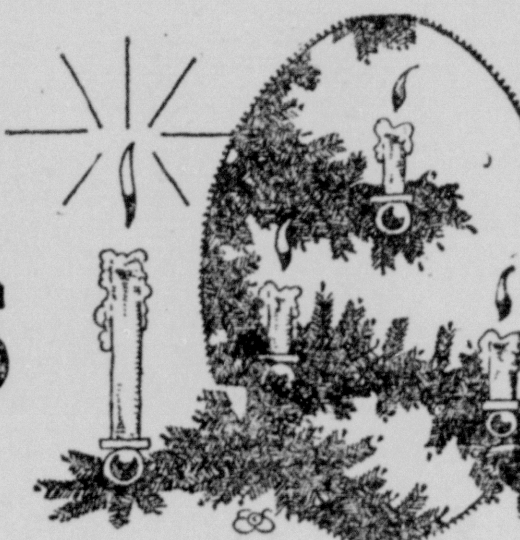
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SPECIAL SCHOLARSHIPS AT ILLINOIS COLLEGE

Trio Established Thru Funds Recently Made Available—Purpose Is to Raise and Maintain Scholarship.

Efforts to maintain and raise the standard of scholarship at Illinois college are now being made through both increased financial aid to the best students and through changes in the grading system. Two special scholarships of \$200 each have been created, being taken from the income of the Williams Scholarship fund, to which \$40,000 was recently added.

One of these scholarships is to be awarded each year to the best student among the boys and one to the best student among the girls. The winners are to be selected from the three boys and three girls making the highest marks in their studies, and the two winners are to be those who, in the judgment of the faculty, are the best students.

The fortunate students who receive the scholarships will be able to pay their college tuition and have \$75 each in cash, which will be a considerable aid toward paying other college expenses. During the five years in which the college has had the benefit of the Williams Scholarship fund, about 550 students have received financial aid from these funds, an average of more than a hundred students a year.

Radical changes, which it is believed will materially improve the standard of scholarship, are being made in the grading system of the college. All numerical grades are to be abolished, even from the records in the dean's office, and letters are to be used exclusively in marking.

Heretofore, letters have been used on the monthly tests and in giving monthly grades, but in the final grades of the semester, the student received a numerical grade for the course. Now, under the new system, letters will also be used in the final markings. There will be six letters in the new system: A marking the highest grade received, B and C, grades above passing; D, passing; E, a temporary condition in the course; F, failure. The E must become either and F or a D.

The college requires 126 credit hours for graduation, but in addition there will now be required 124 honor points, which are dependent on the grade made by the student in each course. It will no longer be possible for a student to secure a degree by merely passing in each course, but he must make grades high enough to secure the required number of honor points. For a final semester grade of A in a course, the student receives three honor points; for a grade of B, two honor points; C, one; D, none; and F, minus one.

The foreign language requirements for securing a Bachelor of Arts degree have been reduced, and it has been made possible for students majoring in science to secure a degree in arts. This has been done so that the college can now abolish the Bachelor of Science degree, as it has been found that a degree in arts is more appreciated by the educational world. However, the amount of scientific education to be secured at Illinois remains the same.

BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR BOY

A surprise party was given Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Kinnert east of the city, in honor of the birthday of their son, Milburn. There were about fifty guests present and the evening was spent with games and music. The young man received a large number of very nice gifts. Refreshments were served before the guests departed.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all friends for words of sympathy and kindly service rendered and for the beautiful flowers sent us in our recent loss of father and brother.

Homer L. Davenport,
Mrs. W. B. McIntyre.

Paul Petefish, of Litterberry, paid the city a visit Saturday.

ANOTHER CAFETERIA FOR JACKSONVILLE

C. L. Walker Will Open One in Vasconcellos Building in South Main Street—Is Operating Places in Havana, Peoria, Springfield and Chicago.

Jacksonville is soon to have another cafeteria. C. L. Walker, well known restaurant man of Havana, Peoria, Springfield and Chicago, has secured a three years lease on the Vasconcellos building on South Main street, formerly used by John M. Doyle. Mr. Walker will secure possession of the premises on the first of the year, and will have everything ready for business within a week or ten days.

He has been for some time past engaged in a similar enterprise in Havana, but has decided to move to Jacksonville in order to be near his daughter who is attending the Illinois Woman's College. He has ordered the most modern and complete equipment for his cafeteria, and comes with a fine business record and good recommendations.

Joshua Vasconcellos & Sons have had a number of opportunities to rent or lease the building but now feel sure that they have secured a tenant that will add to the community interests. The entire lower floor will be devoted to the cafeteria, and the upper floor will be remodeled and fixed up for the offices of the Vasconcellos firm. It will also still be used for the band as in the past if arrangements can be made.

SPECIAL PROGRAM AT CENTRAL CHRISTIAN

Special Christmas services will be held today at Central Christian church.

Sermon on the theme, "The Influence of Your Life" by Mr. Pontius. Music at the morning service as follows: Organ Prelude, Christmas Day in Switzerland, Miss Alice Mathis, organist. Anthems by the choir, "Calm on the Listening Ear," Stoughton, and "Te Deum in B minor," Dudley Buck. Organ Postlude entitled "Christmas Postlude" by Miss Mathis. At 7:30 there will be an "Evening of Song" by the choir assisted by Miss Lorine Dewees and Miss Frederica Balch, violin. Program as follows:

Organ Prelude, "Jesu Bambino," Pietro Von, Miss Alice Mathis; Hymn, "O, Come All Ye Faithful," Prayer, Christmas carols, "The First Nowell," "There's a Song in the Air" and "In the Field With Their Flocks Abiding" by the choir.

Solo, "O Little Town of Bethlehem," Scott, by C. E. Drummond. Anthem, "There Were Shepherds," Vincent.

Solo, "O Come to My Heart, Lord Jesus," Ambrose, by C. S. Ratcliffe. Anthem, "Light on Thy Hills, O Jerusalem," Spaulding.

Solo, "On Bethlehem Plain," Spence, by Mrs. Abram Wehl, director of music.

Trio, "Sleep Holy Babe," Matthews, Miss Louise Miller, Miss Lorine Dewees and Mrs. Wehl.

Solo, "Adore and Be Still," Gounod, Miss Louise Miller, with violin obligato by Miss Frederica Balch.

Five-minute talk, "The Spirit of Christmas," by Mr. Pontius.

Anthem, "How Beautiful Upon the Mountains," Galbraith.

Anthem, "Silent Night, Holy Night" (with soprano obligato), Ashford.

Postlude "Chant Du Roi Rene," Miss Mathis.

Members of the church will be glad to welcome friends of the church and strangers in the city at the services of the day.

POULTRY CULLING DEMONSTRATION

Associate Adviser, H. J. Rucker will be at the Applebee Farm at 9 a. m., Dec. 19th to cull poultry. Anyone wishing to see the demonstration is welcome.

Morgan County Farm Bureau.

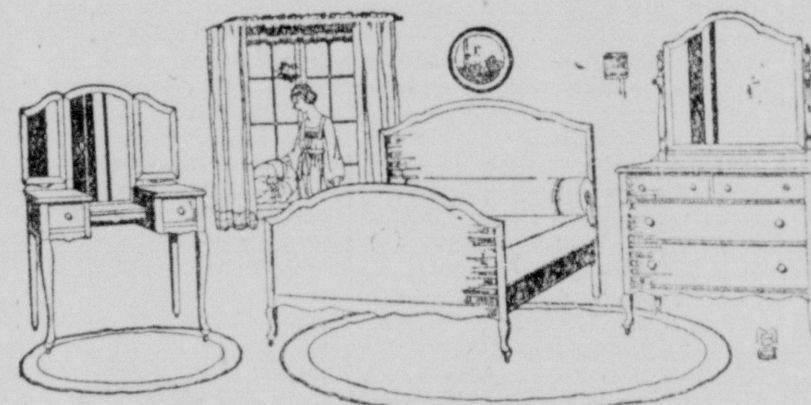
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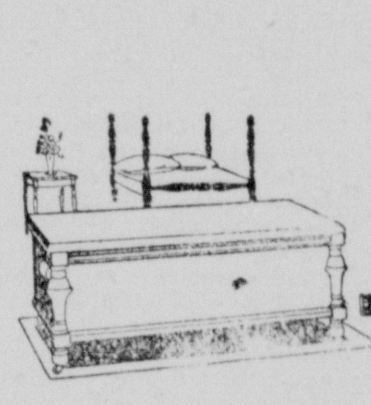
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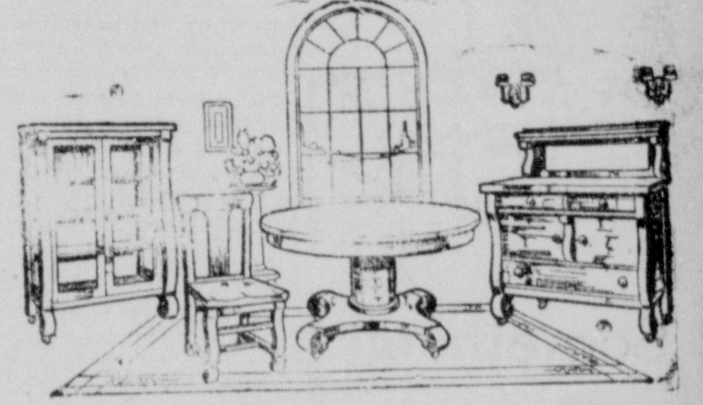
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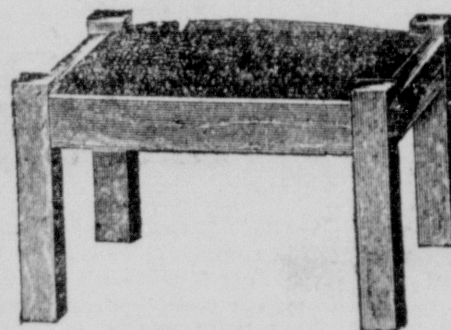
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48 in. Cedar chest, \$22.50



Table, 6 chairs, buffet, china.....\$113.00



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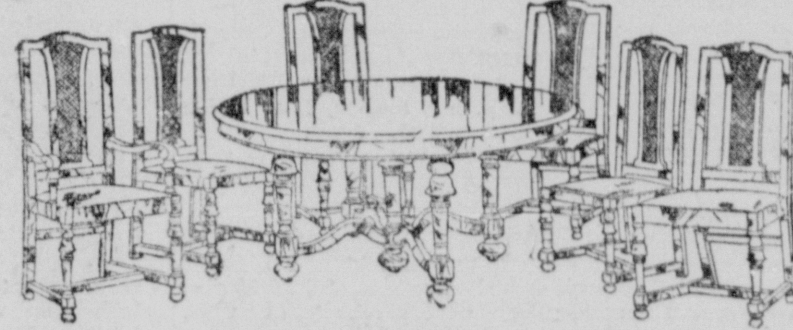
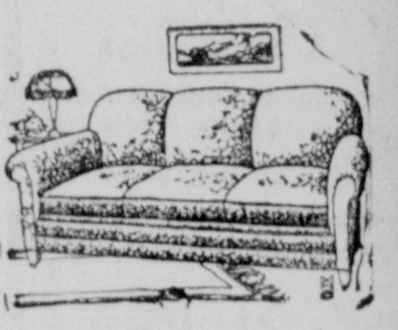
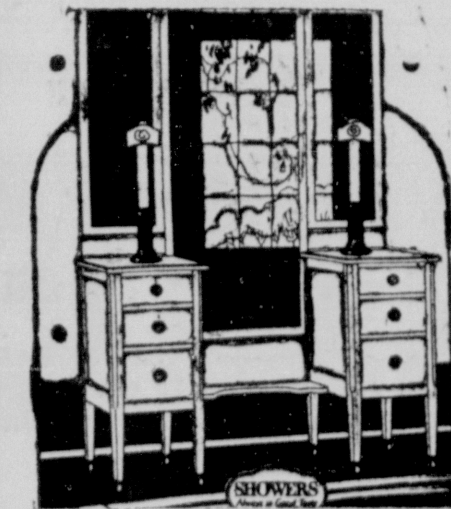


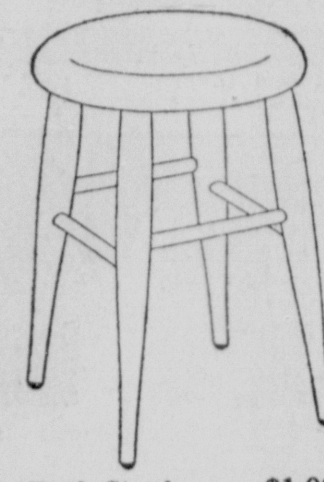
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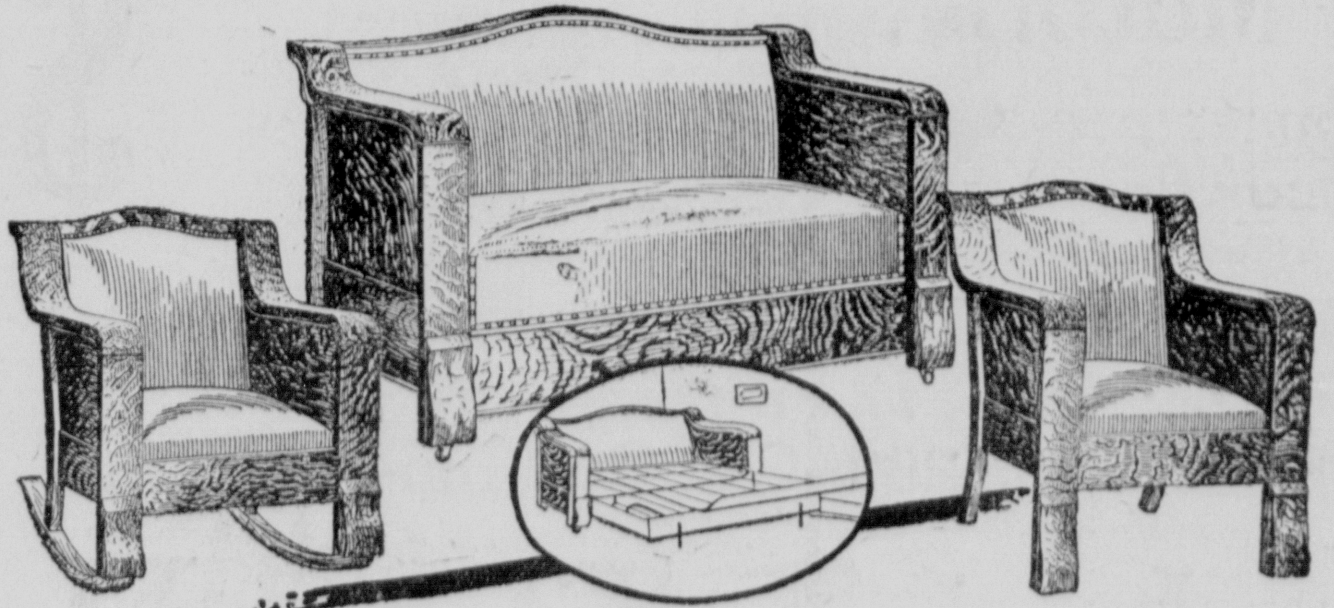
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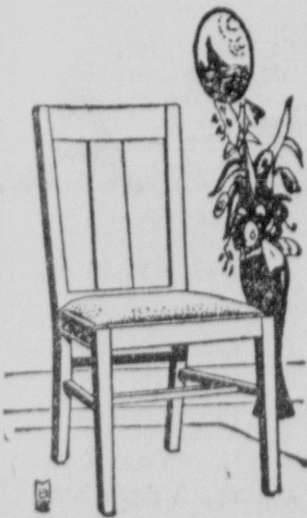
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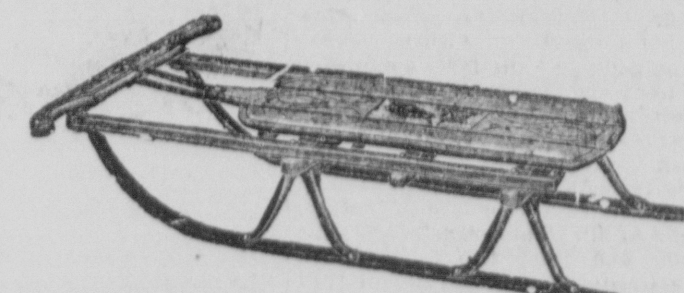
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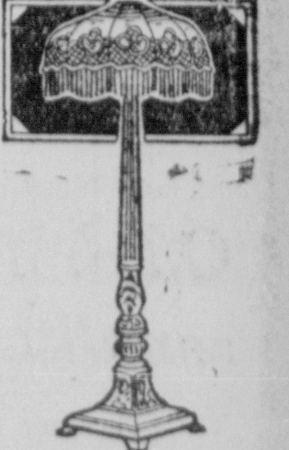
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Church Service Announcements

First Baptist church—Sunday school is held at 9:30 a. m. Bring your children and stay through the study hour. Classes for all ages, from one to one hundred. Morning worship occurs at 10:45. The pastor, Rev. A. P. Howells, will finish the series of sermons on "Stewardship," a discourse on "Sheepshearing," "The Good of the Sheep." This is the annual Every-Member canvass day. Fifty men are wanted on the canvass. Lunch will be provided at the church. The canvass will be made the afternoon. Every member will be asked to pledge for the year 1922. A report will be made at the night service. Mission Sunday school meets at 2:30 p. m. The subject for the B. P. U's at 6:30 p. m. will be, "Obedience; Teaching It; Quickening It; Obeying It." The questions will be answered by the pastor at the 7:30 service at 7:30 are: "What does it mean by Christ preaching to Spirits in Prison?" "Is it possible

to preach to the dead?" "Why the Catholics opposed to the public schools?" "Is the Bible true?" A "Merry Christmas" prayer meeting will be held on Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. Remember the "School of Missions" Jan. 1 to Feb. 5.

Musie—Morning: "Sing Oh Heaven" (Tours); "Bethlehem" (Homer Bartlett). Evening—"Oh Paradise" (Hawwald); "No Room in the Inn" (Updegraff). The quartet includes Mrs. Hackett Wilder, Mrs. Ellis, Homer Wood and Mr. Blauvelt.

The Salvation Army, 108 East College street—Meetings for Sunday, Dec. 18: Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. Young People's Legion at 6:30 p. m. Evening service at 8. Also through the coming week. Tuesday evening at 8; Thursday evening 8; Saturday evening at 8. Come to the meetings. You are cordially invited. Lieut. L. E. Hall.

Salem Evangelical Lutheran church—College and East streets. Rev. J. G. Kuppel, pastor. Fourth Sunday in Advent. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Public worship in English at 10:30 a. m. There will be no evening service as the pastor must be absent. The Luther Walthers Circle will meet Wednesday evening. A cordial welcome is extended to all.

State Street Presbyterian Church—Rev. W. H. Marbach, pastor; T. M. Tomlinson, Sunday school superintendent; Mrs. Barr Brown, choir leader; Mrs. Helen Ayers Bullard, organist. Attend and enjoy the Christmas season services at some church. If this is the one of your choice we will be glad to greet you. Sunday school with classes for all ages, at 9:30 a. m. Morning worship at 10:45 o'clock; theme, "The Fact, Purpose and Results of the Incarnation." Evening service of praise, prayer and preaching; theme: "The Other Wise Man." Y. P. S. C. E. Christmas meeting at 6:30. The choir will furnish special music at both services. Welcome.

Trinity Episcopal Church—J. F. Langton, rector. H. M. Andre, senior warden. Prof. J. G. Ames, junior warden. 4th Sunday in Advent. Early service 7:30; Sunday school, 9:30. Morning prayer and sermon, 10:45. Evening prayer and sermon, 7:30. Sunday school Christmas festival Thursday at 7 o'clock.

Northminster Presbyterian Church—Walter E. Spoons, minister. Preaching at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The morning subject will be: "When Jesus Touches the Life." Evening subject "Snakes." Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., William Bieber, Sup-

erintendent. Election of officers will take place at the Sunday school hour, and it is very necessary for all the school to be present. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Do not forget that the choir will give one of the very best Christmas Cantatas on Christmas night. The Invincible class will have their annual supper next Wednesday evening at the church. They expect to have a hundred members by this time. This class is one of the factors for good in the community, taking an interest in everything for the good of the city, they stand together for clean politics. The prayer meeting will be held after the supper hour, as the supper will be at 6:30 p. m. A hearty welcome to all our services.

Grace Methodist Episcopal Church—Thomas H. Tull, pastor, 9:30 a. m. Sunday school, T. V. Hopper, superintendent. Everyone is needed to keep up the fine interest and attendance. Sunday is to be a great day. 10:45, Morning worship. Theme of sermon by the pastor "Aaron's Rod That Boded, or God's Choice of High Priest." 2:30 p. m., Intermediate league, Miss Ames Davis, superintendent. 6:30, Epworth league, Lloyd Read will be the leader. 7:30, evening worship. The choir, under the direction of Prof. Henry Ward Pearson, will give Horatio Parker's beautiful cantata, "The Shepherd's Vision." This is a fine production, and those who hear the splendid work of this choir from Sunday to Sunday will know what to expect. You will be greatly pleased and inspired by hearing this cantata.

Centenary Methodist Church—C. D. Robertson, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. A. C. Metcalf, superintendent. The Sunday school is increasing at a gratifying rate. The goal of 400 was almost reached last Sunday and ought to be touched this week. The classes are all settling down to real work under the direction of an efficient corps of teachers as can be found anywhere. At a recent meeting of the Sunday school board, a commission was raised to study the matter of more efficient and closer grading of the school, a move that is rendered imperative by the growing unwillfulness of the increasing attendance. A Christmas program is being prepared, which will be given Christmas night. Morning worship will be held at 10:45 a. m. Sermon by the pastor. Subject, "Perverted Good."

Epworth league devotional meeting at 6:30 p. m. Leader, Miss Waive Barton. Evening worship at 7:30 p. m. Subject, "What more can we ask?"

Congregational Church—George E. Stiekney, pastor; Mrs. A. R. Gregory, choir leader; Mrs. G. E. Stiekney, organist. Church school at 9:30. Dean G. H. Scott, superintendent. Dr. Post's Bible class meets at 10:00. Morning service at 10:45, with sermon by the pastor. The choir will sing the following special Christmas numbers at this service: "There Were Shepherds" by Vincent; "Arise, Shine for Thy Light is Come," by Elvey; "Sing, O Heavens," by Tours. Mrs. Gregory will sing "Glory to God," by Rotoli. The choir will sing, "Holy Night" by Cruber for a processional and recessional. Christian Endeavor at 6:30. Community Forum at 7:30. Hon. Henry R. Rathbone, of Chicago, will speak on "The Washington Conference Agreements." After the address opportunity will be given to question Mr. Rathbone further on any phase of this timely subject. There will be special music. On account of the special Christmas pageant to be given Christmas afternoon at 5 o'clock the Forum meeting will be omitted next week. The Junior scouts meet Monday at 4. Boy Scout Troop No. 6 meets Wednesday afternoon. Prayer meetings at 7:30. The Okihe campfire meets Thursday afternoon. Saturday the Okece and Aokiya Campfires meet. The Rhoades Memorial Library open to the public from 2:30 to 5. "You'll like it at the Congregational church."

The Second Baptist Church—Pastor, H. H. DeWitt. Morning subject, "The First Christian Martyr." The members and friends will worship at the evening service of Bethel A. M. E. church. Rev. H. H. DeWitt will give the sermon. Rev. Hackley will speak at the evening service of McCabe Bethel and Mt. Emory churches, asking the co-operation to raise money to pay for the furnishings of two rooms at the Home Sanitarium to be occupied by charitable patients. 2:30 p. m., Bible school, Mrs. Albert Moore will act as superintendent in the absence of Mrs. Laura LaFayette who is visiting her sick daughter. Come and worship with us at these services.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, 523 West State St. Sunday morning service is held at 11 o'clock. Subject of the Lesson Sermon, "Is the Universe Including Man Evolved by Atomic Force?" Sunday school is held at 9:30 Wednesday evening. Testimonial meeting at 8 o'clock. The reading room is open each week day from 3 to 5 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend the church services and to visit the reading room.

Westminster Presbyterian Church—Corner Westminster street and West College avenue. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Kindergarten Class at 10:30. Morning church service at 10:45. Dr. Smith will preach on "Finding One Lost Sheep." Miss Almira Moore will sing, "The Lord Is My Light," arranged by Eaks. Evening service, 7:30. Two high class films will be given: "The Story of Plymouth Rock" and "The Call of Samuel." The latter is the Bible story and will be the subject of Dr. Smith's sermon. At 6:30 p. m., the Chris-

tian endeavor societies will have for the subject of their meetings: "Conscience; Teaching It, Quickening It, Obeying It." Proverbs XX:27 and Acts 14:13-20. Boy Scouts, Troop Eight, will meet Monday evening at 7:45. On Wednesday evening the subject will be "Peace on Earth, Good Will Among Men"—a symposium upon the Disarmament Conference. Christmas service next Sunday morning in the Sunday school.

Pisgah Presbyterian church. Sunday school at 2 p. m., and church service at 3 o'clock, with preaching by Rev. Thomas W. Smith. On Friday evening, December 23rd, the Christmas-Exercises will be held with music, Santa Claus and other things.

Bethel A. M. E. Church—R. M. Hackley, minister. 11 a. m., sermon by pastor. 2:30 Sunday school, J. W. Kirk, superintendent. 8 p. m., joint meeting. Second Baptist church and Bethel A. M. E. church will worship together. Sermon by Rev. H. H. DeWitt. Rev. Hackley and Miss Susie Lynch will visit the other churches and speak for the charity room to be established in the New Home Sanitarium. Also present the matter at Bethel church before the close of the services.

Brooklyn M. E. church—G. W. Randle, pastor; J. H. Reid, Sunday school superintendent. The condition of the walls will not be suitable for services at Brooklyn this week. We have therefore decided to accept the hospitality of Centenary church for the morning services. Our school will meet there in a separate room and preserve our own organization, with teachers, classes and officers as usual. For morning church service we will worship with the Centenary people. All contributions to the local budget and Centenary may be brought to this service and placed in the general offering and will be taken care of by our own treasurers. The Epworth league will meet at the Brooklyn parsonage with Bibles and continue the study of the Book of Esther. There will not be any Junior league service this Sunday. We expect that by Dec. 25 services will be resumed in the Sunday school rooms of our own church.

Second Christian church—Sunday school will meet at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Subject—"And He Took a Towel," will be delivered by J. B. Parsons, of Bloomington, president of the Colored Convention of the Illinois Christian Missionary society. All are cordially invited to attend.

Central Christian church—Myron L. Pontius, minister. The church school at 9:30 as usual. B. O. Reedhouse, superintendent. Morning worship at 10:45. Sermon on the theme: "The Influence of Your Life." The evening service will be a program of songs by the quartet. Miss Louise Miller, Mrs. Abram Wehl, C. E. Drummond and C. S. Ratcliffe, assisted by Miss Lorine Dewees, mezzo, and Miss Frederica Balch, violin. This is the Christmas service of the church. Mr. Pontius will speak on "The Spirit of Christmas." The musical numbers are as follows: Organ prelude, "Jesus Humbled," Miss Alice Mathis; Christmas Carols, by the choir; anthems, "There Were Shepherds," "Calm on the Listening Ear," "How Beautiful Upon the Mountain," "Silent Night, Holy Night" and solos, "O Little Town of Bethlehem," C. E. Drummond; "O Come to My Heart, Lord Jesus," C. S. Ratcliffe; "Adore and Be Still," Miss Lorine Dewees and Mrs. Wehl; Postlude, "Chant Du Roi Rene," by Miss Mathis. C. E. services at 6:30. Miss Jennie Grassly will lead the Senior C. E.; Earl Hoover, the Intermediate, and Ralph Grogan, the Junior. Stranger, friends and all not attending services elsewhere are invited to be present.

The Woodson Christian church Ladies' Aid will serve lunch at W. E. McCurley's sale, Dec. 21. Each lady is requested to bring or send two pies.

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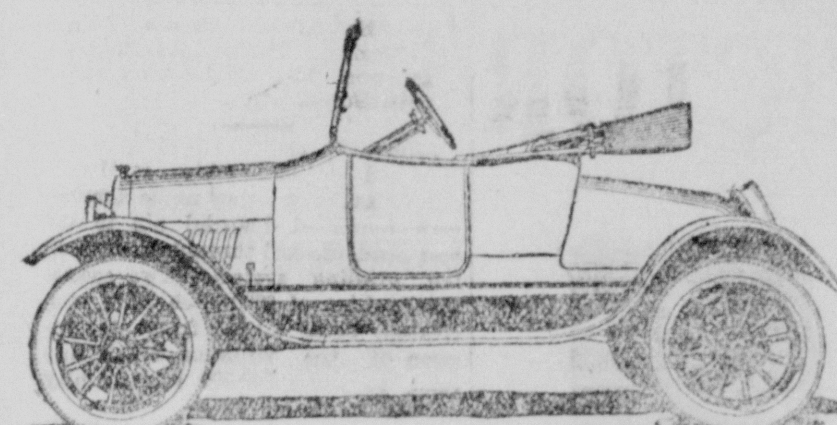
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THE FARMERS' State Bank
and Trust Company, as Administrators of said Estate of Judy Barnett, deceased.

William Barnett, et al. Petition
to Sell Real Estate To Pay Debts

Pursuant to a decretal order,
made and entered in said Court in said cause, on the Fifth day of December, 1921, the said Administrator, will on Thursday, January 12, 1922, at the hour of 2 o'clock, P. M., at the South door of the Court House, in Jacksonville, in said county and state, sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder, for cash in hand, the right, title, interest and estate, which the said Judy Barnett, deceased, had at the time of her death, in and to Lot Two in J. W. King's Addition to Jacksonville, in Morgan County, Illinois, subject to the present tenancy.

Delivery of deed to be made
upon approval of sale by said court. Dated December 9, A. D. 1921.

The Farmers' State Bank
and Trust Company, as Administrator of the Estate of Judy Barnett, deceased.

J. Marshall Miller,
Attorney.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

I hereby announce my
candidate for the nomination for sheriff on the Republican ticket, subject to the primary election to be held in April.

CHARLES S. BLACK.

I hereby announce myself
a candidate for the Republican nomination for sheriff, subject to the will of the voters as shown in the April primary.

OTIS HOFFMAN.

I hereby announce myself
a candidate for nomination for the office of assessor and treasurer subject to the decision of the primary election to be held in April.

J. D. McLath.

ANNOUNCEMENT

I hereby announce myself
a candidate for the office of county clerk, subject to the will of the voters as expressed at the county primary.

George L. Riggs.

INVESTMENT SHARES UNDER PRESSURE

By Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—The week on the stock exchange yielded very much as it began. Speculative issues were the center of attraction while investment shares were dull and occasionally under further professional pressure.

Oils continued to provide the greater part of the brief session's moderately large output, numerous industrials and unclassified specialties making their usual contributions.

Coalers, notably Delaware, Lackawanna & Western, Reading, and Lehigh Valley were strong despite the labor situation in the Pennsylvania field but most rails followed their listless course of recent days.

Gains in no conspicuous instance ranging beyond one to two points were shaded in the final dealings when some of the foreign oils developed reactionary tendencies. Sales amounted to 525,000 shares. The bond market reflected the perfunctory movement of stocks dealings in government issues showing mixed gains and loss at the close. International war issues were devoid of special features. Total sales, par value, \$8,250,000.

An increase of \$74,000,000 in actual loans and discounts almost double the previous week's decrease in that item was the striking feature of the clearing house statement, demand deposits showing corresponding expansion.

The only week-end news touching upon general financial conditions was contained in the reviews of mercantile authorities. These for the most part were highly encouraging

With Morgan County Poets

Words of appreciation are always welcome, if sincere. Recently some one remarked that the only fault to be found with our column was that there was not more of it.

We would like to give more, if we could, and keep up the quality. But rather than lower the quality, or run out of material, we prefer to keep it as it is.

The "Agawam River Anthology" is the pseudonym behind which M. H. Grassly prefers to hide his genial countenance elsewhere, but not, we hope, in his own home town.

HAPPINESS

Down the sea of centuries,
Man sails the ship of his dreams,
Seeking the harbor of Happiness—
Charting his course by its beams.

Centuries slip into ages,
Truths live their short hour of dawn,
Philosophies flourish and falter—
But the ships keep sailing on.

Not alone through illusion's urge
Do we seek a newer bond,
Ideals forever are changing—
Happiness lies just beyond.

Spirit and mind are but rovers
When the cast of years is done;
For the quest goes on, on forever—
A dream that's only begun.

—AGAWAM RIVER ANTHOLOGY.

VESPER SERVICE AT ILLINOIS COLLEGE TODAY

Y. W. C. A. to Present Christmas Songs in Tabernacle Form—Special Services Planned By Student Association.

The Illinois college Y. W. C. A. will hold a special vesper service in the college chapel Sunday afternoon at 4:45. Beautiful old Christmas songs are to be given in tabernacle form. Miss Josephine Conley and Miss Adelle McQuiston will sing several Christmas carols. Velma Mathews will read "The Meeting of the Three Wise Men," a selection from "Ben Hur," and Leona Shank will give an interpretation of the song "Joy to the World." The exercise will be of considerable interest and all friends of the college are cordially invited.

In view of the Y. W. C. A., there will be no meeting of the Devotional Association in the evening.

The Student Christian Association have completed arrangements for some special meetings during the days from January 13 to 18 inclusive. The speaker at these meetings is to be Dr. Meland B. McAfee of the Methodist Episcopal Conference. Dr. McAfee is connected with the well known McAfee family which has been so prominently identified with Park College, Missouri. He is a speaker of unusual charm and force.

The Christmas vacation will begin on Wednesday night, December 21st. Class work will be resumed Thursday morning, January 5th.

President Rammelkamp and Professor Page of the History Department will attend the meeting of the American Historical Association in St. Louis during the Christmas holidays. Dean Scott will probably attend the meetings of the Illinois State Teachers' Association in Springfield.

At the meeting of the Science club during the past week, the subject of "Suggestive Therapeutics" was taken up. Wm. Headen '23 year the meeting.

GORKY TELLS OF RUSSIA'S PPLIGHT

Position of Russian Intellectuals Is Practically Hopeless—People No Longer Human Beings But Starving Dogs

STOCKHOLM, Dec. 17.—Maxim Gorky, Russian novelist and formerly relief official, looked tired and ill when he arrived here en route for Berlin. He said his principal purpose in visiting Germany was to secure the printing of manuscripts which circumstances had not permitted to be done before.

"It is a big parcel," he said, which I bring along and its contents are of the greatest importance to humanity for they include a new method for the treatment of tuberculosis.

In food and fuel, Gorky said Russian scientists were comparatively well off thanks to the support which they have had from abroad, but what they mostly needed was the moral support encouraging them to new efforts and it was from that point of view that it was essential that their work should be published.

"The position of Russian intellectuals is terrible and practically hopeless," said Gorky. "It means that as dreadful a catastrophe as could ever fall upon a nation has fallen upon Russia. Investigations made by Professor Masukin show that in Petrograd 22 per cent suffer from anemia, 29 per cent have cancer, 11 per cent are drunkards and 16 per cent have gone mad."

"A few days ago two professors tried to escape from Petrograd. One succeeded in passing the frontier into Finland but the other one was shot."

Gorky said there were no children in Russian now. They are all grown up and death was printed on their faces. They were no more human beings, they were starving flogs. They had forgotten all human expressions except the one "give us bread," and incessantly day and night they cried for bread.

Don't wait until after Christmas for bargains; get them now at HERMAN'S. Ladies' and Misses' Ready to Wear, Furs and Millinery.

BLUFFS HIGH SCHOOL WILL PRESENT PLAY

"Windmills of Holland" Is Operetta Which High School Students Will Present Dec. 21—Other Bluffs News Notes.

BLUFFS, Dec. 16.—"Windmills of Holland," an operetta in two acts, will be presented by members of the alumnae, Dec. 21st. Miss Crabtree director. Much time is being spent in preparation and a good program is assured interspersed with music.

Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Steward were visitors in Winchester Thursday. Mrs. Steward was formerly Miss Mildred Hubber and of Winchester. The doctor and wife recently located here from Texas.

Miss Dorothy Long has returned to her home in Timewell to recuperate from a nervous breakdown. Her vacancy in the school will be temporarily filled by Mrs. Zoe Peir.

Mrs. Lyle Bates and baby Marcelle spent Saturday and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Meir in Versailles.

Mrs. Elizabeth Myers and son Edward spent Thursday with their cousin, Mrs. M. L. Fuson and family.

Mrs. Frances Kendall and Ralph V. Comerford of Naples were united in marriage Saturday at the home of her sister, Mrs. Mrs. A. E. Zoller in Quincy. Mrs. Comerford is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Moechem of Bluffs. They will spend the winter in Bluffs and in the spring they will move to the groom's farm near Naples.

Mrs. C. A. Phillips accompanied by Mrs. Edna Doyle and Miss Lela Pinney were Chapin visitors Thursday. They were accompanied home by Miss Pearl Phillips who will visit her sister, Mrs. C. A. Phillips and family.

Miss Minnie Flemming who has been the guest of her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Moore and other relatives for the past three weeks has returned to her home in Darby, Kansas.

Box supper and entertainment Thursday night at Prairie Union school, six miles northeast of the city.

PLEASANT SOCIAL AFFAIR AT FRANKLIN

Mrs. Harlan Roberts Entertains Friends at Rook Party Recently

Franklin, Dec. 17.—A delightful social affair was held at the home of Mrs. Harlan Roberts on Thursday evening. The guests played "rummy," prizes being won by Mrs. Luther Erley, and Mrs. Lewis Roberts. The "booby" prize was won by Miss Grace Armstrong and Mrs. William Rees. Elegant refreshments were served. Mrs. Roberts was assisted in entertaining by Miss Mildred Funk.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Newton Woods, Mr. and Mrs. Miller Keninger, Mr. and Mrs. William Ross, Mr. and Mrs. James Sinclair, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Wiley, Mr. and Mrs. William Bull, Mrs. Alice Mansfield, Mrs. Rhoda and Hattie Scott, Ruth and Hattie Scott, Ruth Tulpin, Grace Hill, Mary Mansfield, Grace Armstrong and Messrs. Mose Broverman, Roy Smith, Wilson Seymour, Louis Broverman, Elgin Olinger, Fred Scott, Louis Wiley and Lewis Roberts.

Don't forget the milk cow sale at Chapin Monday, Dec. 19th. A real bunch of cows.

CORRECTION.

An article appeared in the Journal Saturday saying that the United States Destroyer Graham had collided with the steamship Panama. Mrs. Howard Smith of 315 South Main street has a son on board the Destroyer Graham, Claude Thompson. Young Thompson is a signalman on the boat.

Fur Sale Monday and Tuesday at HERMAN'S.

Luther Wiley was down from A'svander Saturday on business matters.

He will appreciate a box of Ogars.



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